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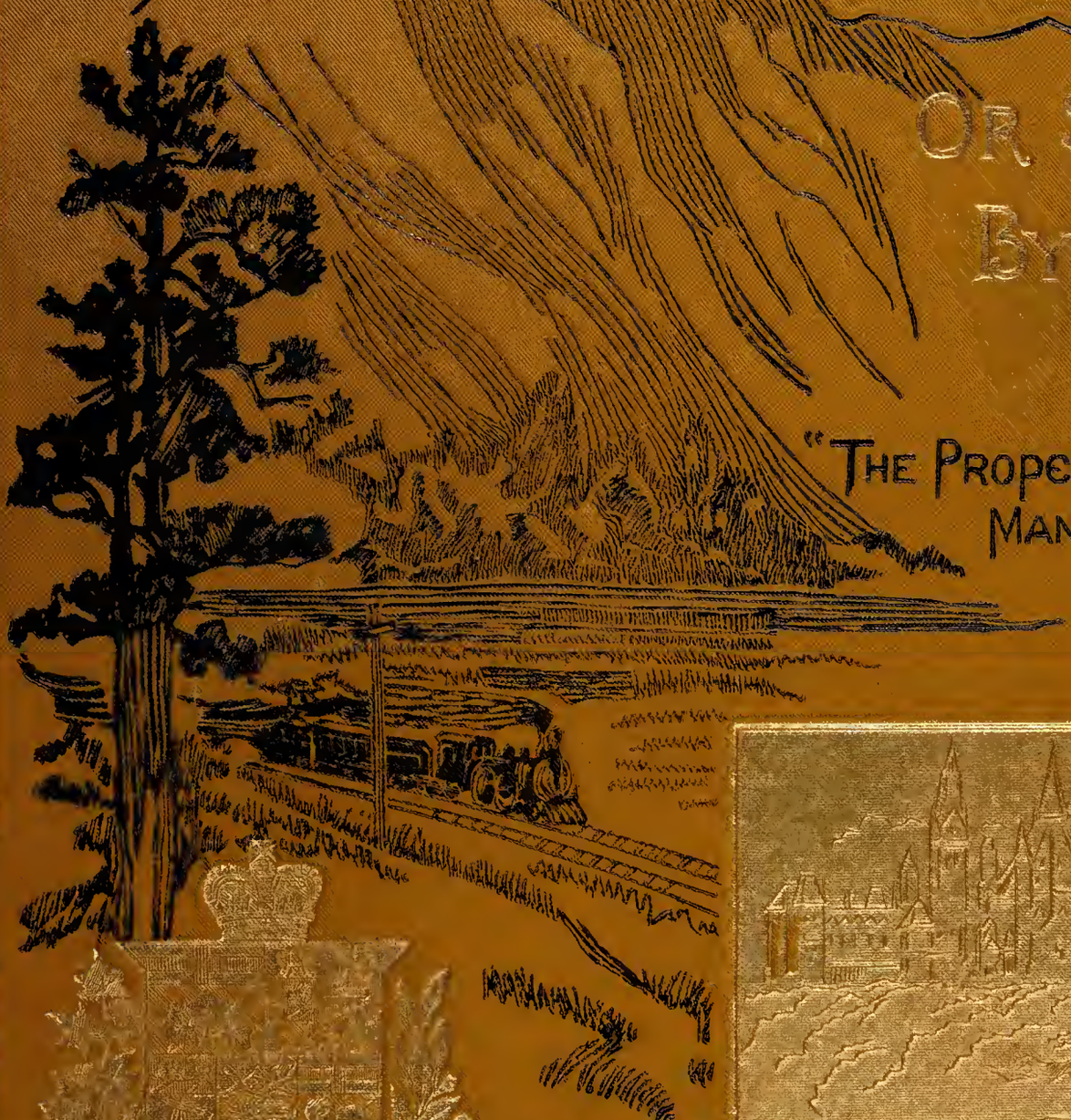

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Born in Halifax, N.S., November 10th, 1844.
Appointed Premier of Canada, November 25th, 1892.

THE

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IN

RELIGION, PATRIOTISM, BUSINESS, LAW, MEDICINE, EDUCATION AND AGRICULTURE;

CONTAINING PORTRAITS OF SOME OF CANADA'S CHIEF BUSINESS MEN, STATESMEN, FARMERS, MEN OF THE LEARNED PROFESSIONS, AND OTHERS, ALSO, AN AUTHENTIC SKETCH OF THEIR LIVES.

OBJECT LESSONS FOR THE PRESENT GENERATION AND EXAMPLES TO POSTERITY.

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INTRODUCTION.

IT is now the privilege of the editor to introduce to the public volume II. of this series of Canadian Art Biographies. In doing so, he congratulates the publishers, on the success they have had in the circulation of the former volume, and on the general satisfaction it has given. The production of two such volumes, is unique in Canadian literature. Leaving others to judge the merits of the literary part of the work, it must be conceded that from a mechanical and an artistic standpoint, it is unequalled by any Canadian publication.

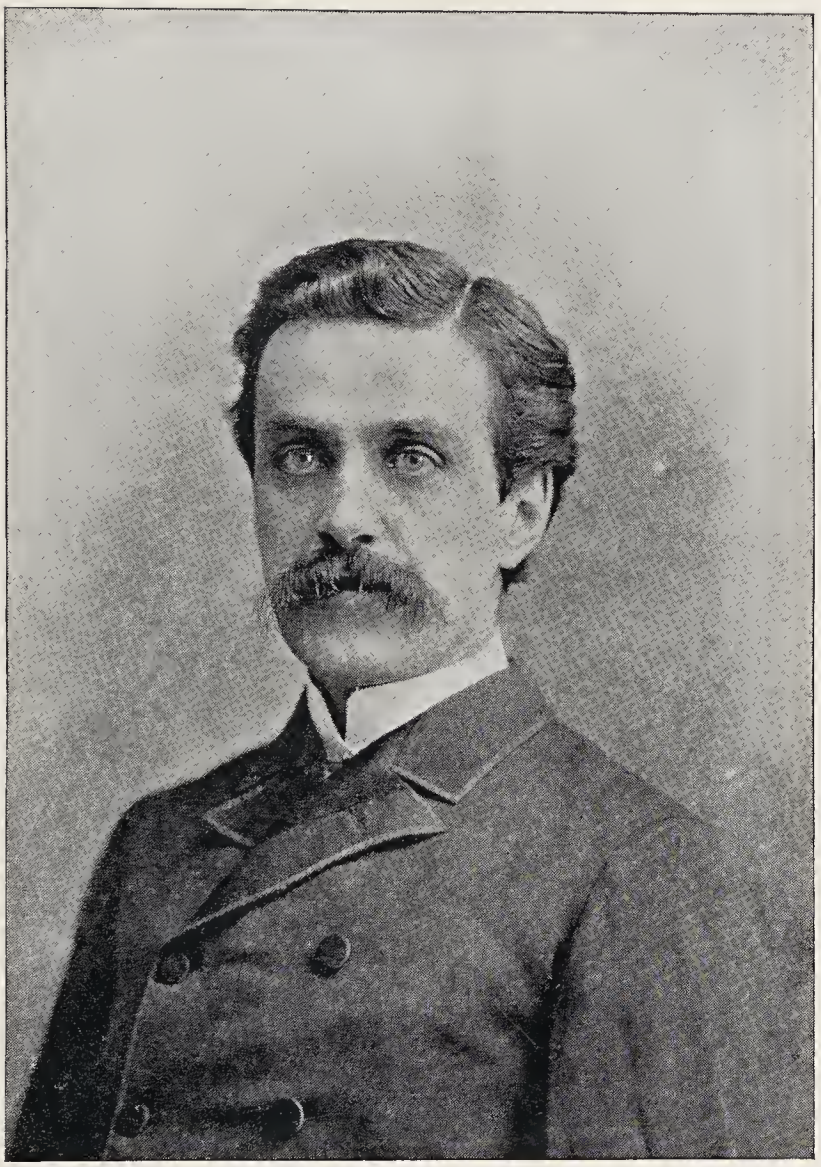
The engravings are produced on copper plates and the portraits are in the highest style of the art. The books are printed on coated paper, which contributes largely to the excellent finish of the engravings, and the clearness of the letter press. The binding too, is not only artistic, and the design of the covers emblematic of the Dominion, but it is at the same time, substantial and durable, and thus we have as nearly as art and mechanism can produce "a thing of beauty and a joy forever." Our country is to be congratulated in that she is able to produce such a publication, two volumes of which are now accessible to the public. Nearly eleven hundred faces greet us here, and every class of our representative men may be seen from these pages. The vast amount of labor involved in gathering the facts and in writing so many biographies, can easily be imagined, but there are few who understand the enormous expense incurred in producing the work.

The plan adopted for the distribution of the first three volumes, is worthy of notice. Volume I. takes in Western Ontario, while volume II. is made up of men from the Province of Quebec and for the most part of Eastern Ontario, there being in this volume comparatively few faces from Ontario West. It is now intended that volume III. shall contain other representative men from Quebec and Ontario, also take in a part of the Maritime Provinces, while the balance of that volume will likely be devoted to the Western part of the Dominion. Future volumes will be similarly arranged, until this art biographical directory is complete. Thus it will be seen that THE CANADIAN ALBUM is doing its part to link the various provinces into one harmonious whole, and doubtless its circulation will contribute largely to the creation of that national sentiment, which is so difficult of realization, in a widely scattered country like Canada.

It is not easy to estimate the good influence in this direction, of a thousand portraits and as many pen pictures of that number of the best known men of Ontario, scattered in ten thousand or more homes, throughout the Dominion, and an equally proportioned number of portraits and pen pictures of the representative men of each of the other provinces similarly scattered throughout the land. But this is the task which the publishers have assumed, and this is the good work they are doing. The enterprise is costly and arduous, but it is making progress and succeeding beyond expectation, their efforts being generously seconded by the leading men of the country.

With this explanation, we commit volume II. to the public to join its predecessor, in carrying out the mission indicated in the introduction to the first volume, and in the sentiments to which we have just given expression.

Wm Cochrane



THE HON. LOUIS PHILIPPE PELLETIER, M.P.P., Quebec, Que., was born at Trois Pistoles, county of Temiscouata, Quebec. He was educated at the college of Ste. Anne, and at Laval University; called to the Bar in 1880, and was married on the 11th of January, 1883, to Miss Adèle Lelièvre. When only 24 years of age, and with only two years' practice, he was required to act as Crown Prosecutor for the province, and discharged his duties with such marked ability, that he soon came under the notice of the electorate. He was president of the Club Cartier, a Conservative organization, and subsequently president of the National Conservative Association of the Province of Quebec. He was appointed to the Legislative Council in 1888, and resigned his seat in 1889 to run for Dorchester, and was elected by acclamation. Although a Conservative, he supported the Mercier administration. In 1890, he was a candidate for the same constituency, and defeated Mr. Bernier by a majority of 955. Mr. Pelletier seceded from Mr. Mercier on account of his inability to endorse the latter's management of public affairs. Finally, Mr. Mercier's government was overthrown and a Conservative administration was formed, of which Mr. Pelletier is now member, having been sworn in as Provincial Secretary on the 22nd day of December, (1891). At the general elections which ensued, honorable Mr. Pelletier was re-elected by a majority of fourteen hundred votes, his opponent getting about one-sixth of the total number cast. At Laval University, he won the medal of the Marquis of Lorne, a piece of solid gold, worth three hundred dollars, offered to the most successful student, by the Governor General of the Dominion of Canada. The young and able Provincial Secretary is one of the cleverest barristers of Quebec, has more than ordinary executive ability, and is at the head of the legal firm of Pelletier & Fontaine, a law office of first-class standing and of wide reputation. He is a forcible debater, and a power in the House of Assembly.

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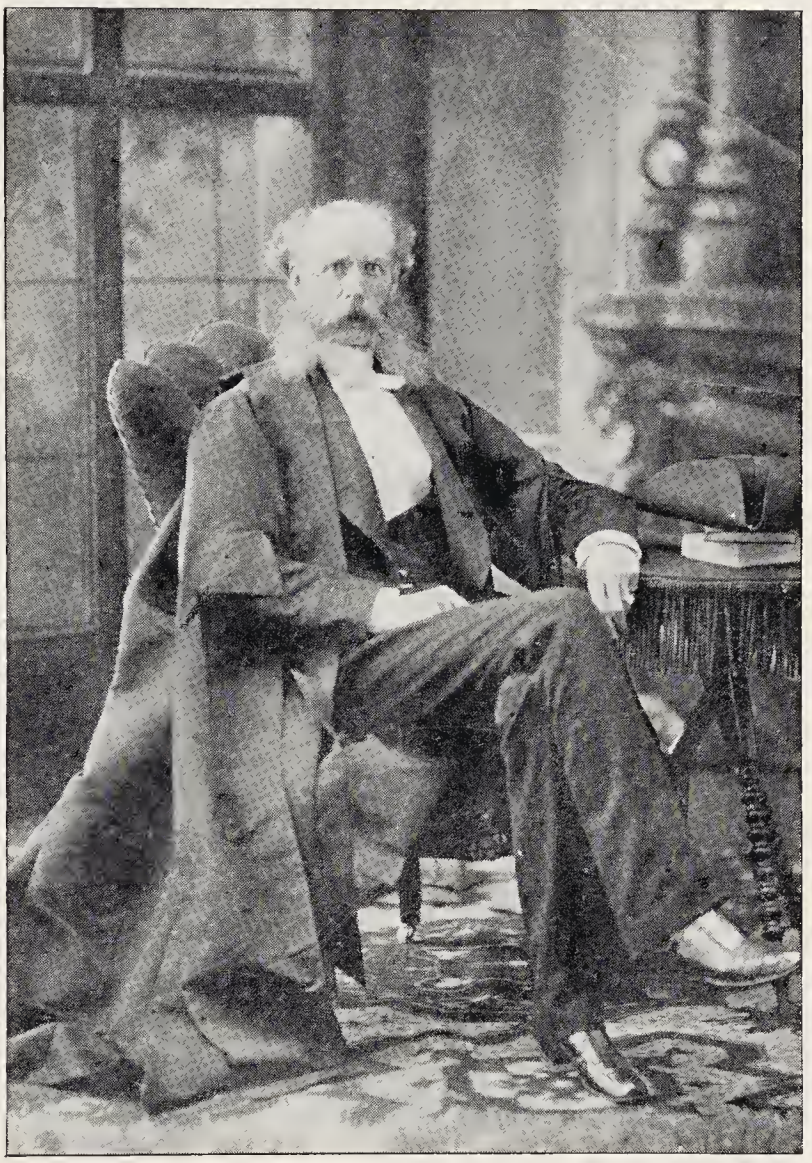
HON. JUSTICE ALEX. CHAUVEAU, B.C.L., Q.C., Justice of the Court of Quarter Sessions, Quebec, was born February 23rd, 1847. He is a son of the late Hon. P. J. O. Chauveau, Q.C., D.C.L., who was Prime Minister of the Province of Quebec in 1867, and ex-speaker of the Senate. Judge Chauveau was educated at the College of the Jesuits, and Laval and McGill Universities, and took the degree of B.C.L. from the latter in 1867. He studied law with S. Lelièvre, Q.C., in Quebec, and also with the late Sir George Cartier, in Montreal. He was admitted to the Quebec Bar March 4th, 1868, and practiced in partnership with the late Hon. Justice Alleyn up to the date of his present appointment. He entered the political arena at the early age of 24, and contested the county of Rimouski in 1872, against Dr. Fiset, and was elected the ministerial candidate by a large majority. During the sessions of 1872-'73 and '74, he gave independent support to the Conservative Government, although often voting with the opposition during the last sessions of that parliament. He was unanimously returned by the same constituency, at the general elections of 1875, as an Independent member. Judge Chauveau was appointed Solicitor General for the Joly administration, in March, 1878, and was re-elected at the general election the same year. On the 19th of March, 1879, he was appointed Provincial Secretary and Registrar of the Province of Quebec, which he held until September of that year. In January, 1880, he was appointed Judge of the Sessions for the Province of Quebec. He has been twice elected president of the Society St-Jean-Baptiste. The Judge is also a commissioner under the Extradition Act of Canada, and is president of the Champlain Monument Committee. He was married August 1st, 1871, to Miss Adèle, eldest daughter of the late Hon. U. J. Tessier, judge of the Court of Queen's Bench. Has issue, two sons; Alexander, born Aug. 14th, 1874; Charles Auguste, born October 28th, 1877.

JOHN SMYTHE HALL, Jr., Q.C., Treasurer of the Province of Quebec, Montreal, Que., was born in that city August 7th, 1853. He was educated at Bishop's College, Lennoxville, and at McGill University, where he graduated B.A. in 1874, and B.C.L. in 1875. He was called to the Bar January, 1876, and appointed Q.C. in 1887. He is a member of the law firm of Hall, Cross, Brown & Sharp, who do a very large and important legal business in connection with their city and province. Mr. Hall was president of the University Literary Society in 1884, and elected a member of the Corporation of McGill University in 1883, re-elected in 1886, and has been president of the Junior Conservative Club, Montreal. He was first returned to the Legislative Assembly for Montreal West, at the general elections in 1886, over his opponent G. W. Stephens; was elected by acclamation in 1890, and re-elected for his present constituency at the last general elections in 1892. On the formation of the present ministry, in Quebec, Mr. Hall was appointed Provincial Treasurer, a position for which he is admirably adapted by his experience and grasp of public and parliamentary questions.

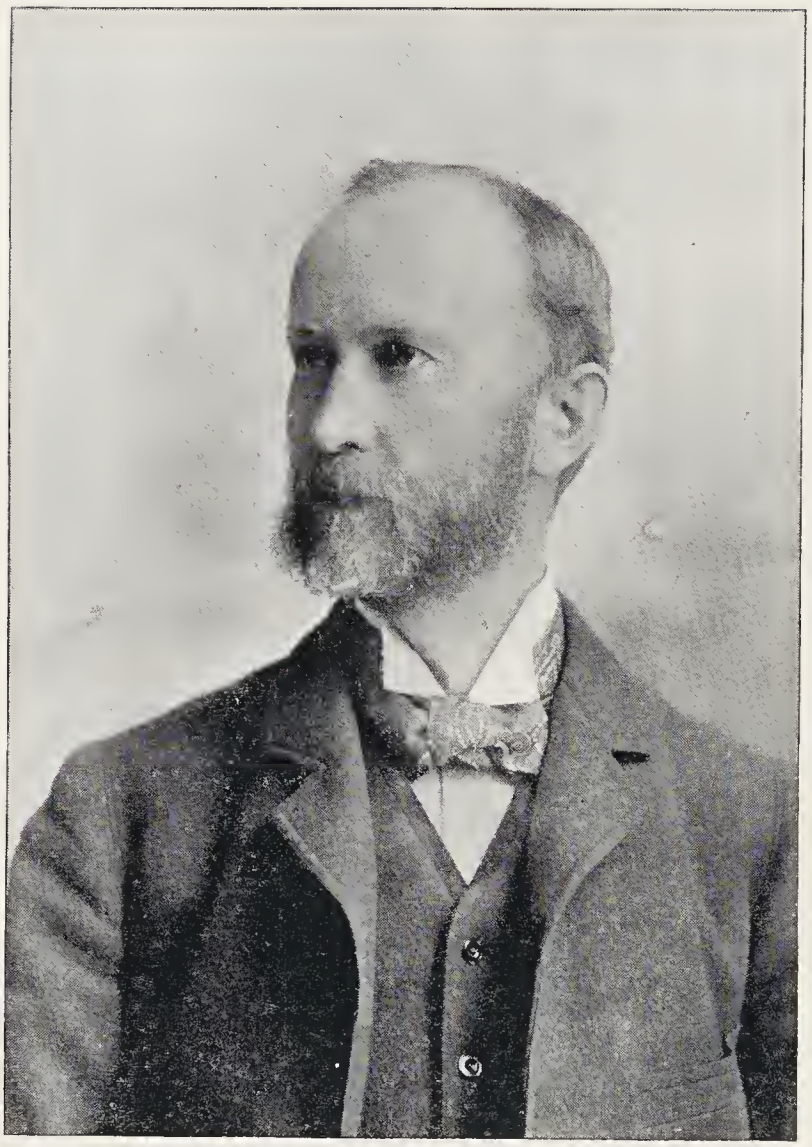
ALFRED ARCHAMBAULT, Titulary Canon of the Cathedral of Montreal, Chancellor of the Archdiocese and professor of Natural Law in Laval University, was born May 23rd, 1859. He is a son of the late Honorable L. Archambault, Legislative councillor and ex-minister of Public Works, and of Elizabeth Dugal, first cousin of the late Honorable Judge Morin. He completed his classics at the college of L'Assomption, with the exception of philosophy, which he finished at Laval University, Quebec. Having spent three years at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, he was ordained priest June 29th, 1882, and left in the same year for Rome, where he resided three years, and took his degree in Theology and in Canonical Law, carrying off the gold medal. Returning to Canada, he taught philosophy for three years at L'Assomption College. In 1888, he was appointed professor of Natural Law in Laval University at Montreal, Vice-Chancellor of the Archdiocese in 1889, and Chancellor in 1892. In 1890, he accompanied Archbishop Fabre to Rome, and took an active part in the solution of the difficulties relative to the projected formation of the diocese of St. Jérôme.

HON. EDMUND JAS. FLYNN, Q.C., LL.D., M.P.P., Gaspé, Que., was born in Perce, Que., November 16th, 1847. His father was the late James Flynn, of Irish descent, who was, during his life time, a farmer and trader at Perce. His mother is still living; her maiden name is Elizabeth Tostevin; her father was born in Guernsey, and her mother of Jersey descent. Mr. Flynn was educated at the Quebec Seminary and at Laval University, graduating with honors, having taken at Laval the degree of L.L.L. in 1873, and in 1878, Laval again presented him with the degree of LL.D. He adopted law as his profession, and in September, 1873, was called to the Bar of Quebec, and has since then continued to practice as barrister in the Ancient Capital. He has been professor of Roman Law in Laval University since 1874, was a commissioner of Crown Lands for the province of Quebec, commissioner of Railways and Solicitor General. He declined a portfolio in Mr. Taillon's cabinet, as he had previously declined a portfolio in the Joly administration. On 21st December, 1891, he entered the De Boucherville government as Commissioner of Crown lands, thereby resuming his old department with which he had thoroughly familiarized himself. He was made a Q.C. in 1887, and has taken an active part in political affairs for the last eighteen years, having been a candidate in twelve different elections in the most of which he was successful. He has always been in politics a Liberal Conservative, and his entire parliamentary career has given evidence of his interest in promoting that which was best calculated to develop the country. In the House, Mr. Flynn has taken a prominent part, particularly on constitutional questions, and has won for himself the well deserved reputation of being a strong and energetic upholder of constitutional liberty. He is a Roman Catholic; he was married May 11th, 1875, to Miss Maria Matilde, daughter of Augustin Côté, editor of *Le Journal de Québec.*

REV. ANTOINE GAUVREAU, parish priest, Lévis, Que., was born in Rimouski, September 22nd, 1841. His father was Pierre Gauvreau, a prominent notary public, and his mother was Elizabeth Duberges. Mr. Gauvreau was sent to the College of Ste. Anne, 1853, where he followed a complete course of classical studies, on the completion of which he determined to enter Holy Orders, and with that in view, was admitted to Laval to study theology. In October, 1864, he was ordained priest, and appointed missionary vicar to the parish of Rivière au Renard, Gaspé. He retained this charge until 1866, when he was called to the city of Quebec to assume the duties of almoner at the Archbishop's Palace, being at the same time chaplain to the Sisters of Charity, the Christian Brothers, and the St. Vincent de Paul Society. In 1870, he was removed by his ordinary to the curacy of St. Nicholas, Lévis county, where he remained until 1875, when he was transferred to Ste. Anne de Beaupré, the place of pilgrimage of the Roman Catholics of the whole American continent. Every summer, thousands of devout pilgrims wend their way to the shrine of the saint. It is said that the number of people who visited Ste. Anne during the season of 1887, exceeded 100,000. Two golden crowns of great value were recently presented to the present curate of Ste. Anne by the citizens of Quebec, and His Eminence, Cardinal Taschereau, presided at the ceremonies incidental to the blessing of the princely gift. Rev. Mr. Gauvreau exercised his ministry in Ste. Anne until 1878, when he took charge of the important parish of St. Romuald de Etchemin, county of Lévis, which he retained until 1882, when he removed to Lévis, opposite the city of Quebec, and has had charge of that parish ever since. In 1889, he established in Lévis the Marist Brothers, who give instruction to three hundred little boys, and he is just now building an hospital for the sick of his parish. He has a very firm hold on the affections of his people.



OWEN MURPHY, Ex-Mayor of Quebec city, was born in Stoneham, Province of Quebec, December 9th, 1829. His father was a member of the highly esteemed family of Murphys, of Ballainoulart House, Wexford county, Ireland, and was a man of peculiarly high attainments and cultivated mind. Mr. Murphy was educated under the tuition of the famous Robt. H. Scot, of Edinburgh, Scotland. In his early commercial life he was associated with two of the then largest and most important lumber, ship owning, produce and milling firms of this country. His unflagging perseverance and invincible integrity have obtained for him the honorable, responsible and distinguished positions which he has so frequently held. He was for years a member of the Quebec City Council, and in 1874 was elected to the mayoralty, and at the expiration of his term was re-elected for a further term of two years. Independent of the many municipal offices which Mr. Murphy has filled, he is director of the Quebec Central Railroad, past president of the St. Patrick's Society, the St. Patrick's Literary Institute, the Quebec Turf Club, and the Quebec Board of Trade. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and has always taken an independent course in politics, but believes that protection is necessary to the welfare of this country. Mr. Murphy was an unsuccessful candidate for Quebec West in 1881, was elected for the same district, in 1886, by the largest majority ever given in that constituency, and was again re-elected in 1890. He was an important factor in the action which led to the dismissal of the Mercier Government, and the carrying of the province by the DeBoucherville administration. However, he declined to be a candidate for his old constituency, and voluntarily withdrew from active political life. Mr. Murphy was married, in 1857, to Miss Loughry, who died in June, 1888, after which he sold his beautiful residence, and has since lived in social retirement. Mr. Murphy has no family.



JAMES KING, M.P.P., Quebec, Que., was born in St. Antoine de Tilly, Lotbinière county, P.Q., February 18th, 1848. He is the youngest son of the late Charles King, of Sylvester, Megantic. Mr. King received his early education in Lennoxville, and took the degree of B.A. in 1867, and that of M.A. in 1873, at the University of Bishop's College. In early life, Mr. King turned his attention to commercial pursuits, notably that of lumbering, and is now (1892) the Quebec member of the well and favorably known lumber and timber exporting firm of King Bros. and King Bros. & Co., who are among the largest operators in the province, having their works scattered all over the Eastern Townships, and in this way have become powerful contributors to Lower Canadian development. The King Bros. are largely interested in the important Asbestos industry of the Province of Quebec, and are proprietors of extensive areas of Asbestos bearing lands in the Eastern Townships, and notably of the "Hampden" and "Thetford Royal" mines in Megantic county. Mr. King is the vice-president of the Mining Association of the Province of Quebec, director of Union Bank of Canada, and largely interested in rural real estate, being the seigneur of the seigniories of St. Jean Deschaillons and Lake Matapedia. His large and honorable commercial transactions throughout the province, have made him so favorably known, that in 1892, he was elected to the Provincial Legislature, as representative of the county of Megantic, by the Conservative party, and will doubtless prove an able and valuable member of parliament. Mr. King is in religion a member of the Church of England, and has been a lay delegate to the synod of the Diocese of Quebec. He is unmarried, and has travelled over the United Kingdom and the continent of Europe. As he is yet (1892) in the full prime of his manhood, there is strong probability that he will become one of the most important and influential factors in his native province.

HON. JOHN DOBSON, merchant, Lindsay, Ont., was born in the county of Fermanagh, Ireland, September 8th, 1824, and is a son of John and Mary Dobson. He was educated in the parochial schools in Ireland. In 1852, he emigrated to the United States, and settled in Rochester, N.Y. He came to Canada September 10th, 1860, the same day on which the Prince of Wales was a guest at Toronto, and lived in Toronto two years. Mr. Dobson afterwards settled in Lindsay, where he still resides (1892), and conducts a very large trade. He has rendered much valuable service in public affairs, and has been honored with various important positions. In 1874, he was elected mayor of Lindsay, and filled the office with credit to himself and with profit to the town. He has been mayor several times since 1874, and is now (1892), president of the Lindsay Board of Trade, the Mechanics Institute and the Conservative Association. The latter office he has held for twenty years. He was appointed to the Senate, February 23rd, 1892. In religion Mr. Dobson is an Episcopalian. In politics, a Conservative. He was married in 1846, to Miss Catharine Graham.

SIMON C. GRONDIN, M.D., L.M., Surgeon Gynicologiste, Quebec, Que., was born January 17th, 1862. He is the son of E. and C. (Morin) Grondin. Dr. Grondin took his classical course at the Seminary of Quebec, was made Doctor in Medicine at Laval University in 1885, after six months in Dublin, Ireland. He received his diploma of Accoucheur, in February, 1886. His next two years were spent in Paris, where he was for one year chief clinical at the Clinical Institution of Dr. Chéron, for diseases of women. For six months he occupied the place of assistant clinical with Dr. Doleris, at Paris, who conducted a similar institution. In 1889, Dr. Grondin established himself in Quebec, and was made professor at Laval the same year (gives clinics for diseases of women). He contributed largely towards establishing the practice of modern surgery in Quebec, and established the first private hospital in that city in 1891. Owing to his great energy and spirit he already possesses one of the most renowned practices in the ancient capital. In religion he is a Roman Catholic. Dr. Grondin was married December 15th, 1888, to Marie Z. Miette, born in the French Ardennes.

EDISON BALDWIN FRALECK, B.A., Belleville, Ont., Junior Judge of the County Court of Hastings county, Ont., was born in Sidney, near Belleville, Ont., February 6th, 1841. His parents were Thomas Tillotson and Hannah (Nicholson) Fraleck, both of genuine U. E. Loyalist stock. The former was the son of Martin Fraleck who came from Wittenburg, Saxony, and took up lands on the Hudson River, which were afterwards confiscated by the Revolutionary party. Mr. T. T. Fraleck served as a cavalryman during the entire three years war of 1812-15. Judge Fraleck began his studies at the common schools and next attended Queen's College, Kingston, from which he graduated B.A. in 1863. He then entered the study of law with the firm of Ponton & Falkiner, Belleville, and subsequently with the Hon. Stephen Richards, Toronto. He took out solicitor's certificates at Easter term, 1868, and was called to the Bar at Hilary term the same year. He was elected to the University Council in 1886, and re-elected in 1891. He continues to reside in Belleville (1892), where he is a prominent and influential factor in the city and county to which he belongs.

In religion he is a Presbyterian from his youth. His mother was of the same faith and his father was a Lutheran. In politics the Judge is a staunch Conservative and takes strong ground as to the connection of Canada with the Motherland, to whom, he believes, we owe our civil and religious liberty. He rendered valuable aid to his party for fifteen years, until he was appointed Junior County Judge 28th December, 1881. He is a member of the Knight Templar, Oddfellow, Black Knight, Orange and Masonic societies, and for several years master of Mystic Lodge 278, of the latter order. He was also lieutenant No. 4 Company, 49th Hastings Rifles, from 1867 to 1874, when he retired retaining rank. Judge Fraleck was married August 12th, 1874, to Miss Jane E., daughter of Wm. Judd, Esq., of Sterling, Hastings county, Ont.

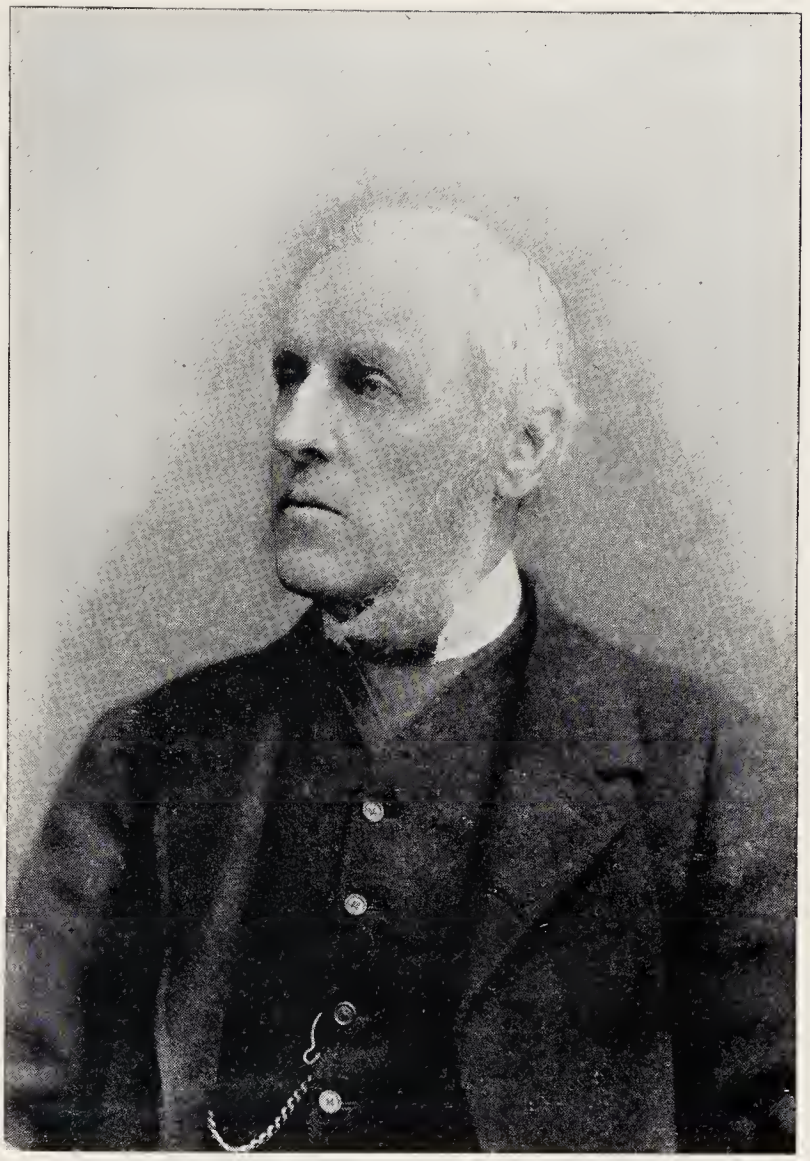
VICTOR PAUL CHATEAUVERT, flour, grain and provision merchant, Quebec, Que., was born in that city, March 12th, 1841. He is a son of Pierre and Angèle (Rousseau) Chateauvert. The former was a well-known contractor and builder, and the latter was the daughter of J. B. Rousseau, merchant, Quebec. Mr. Chateauvert was educated at the Christian Brothers' Academy, and at Thom's Academy. He has risen to his present honorable position, entirely by his own energy and determination. When a mere youth he exhibited those traits of character, which have since developed and played such an important part in placing him in his present honored position. When fourteen years of age, he entered as a junior clerk with J. B. Renaud, in the flour and grain business, and was alternately book-keeper, cashier and salesman of the establishment, and later on became partner with Mr. Gaspard Le Moine, his present partner. After the death of Mr. Renaud, Messrs. Le Moine and Chateauvert formed a partnership, having bought the business and conducted it under the same name, and are now among the most widely and favorably known produce men in the Province of Quebec. In 1891, Mr. Chateauvert was forced to present himself as the Federal Conservative candidate, and was beaten by a very small majority in Quebec Centre division; however, he was elected against Dr. Rinfret, member of Provincial Parliament in March, 1892. He will, doubtless, show himself to be an able member of the House, as having had a thoroughly practical training, he is well versed in all matters of commercial importance, and is able to give his constituents the benefit of his long experience. He had the honor of being elected president of the Quebec Board of Trade in 1891. He is now in the full vigor of his manhood and bids fair to give to his city and country many years of valuable service. He was married August 14th, 1860, to Miss Virginia Sophie, daughter of David Dussault, architect and contractor, Quebec.

CHARLES FITZPATRICK, advocate, Quebec, Que., was born in that city, December 19th, 1853. His ancestors were Irish. Mr. Fitzpatrick was educated at the Quebec Seminary, and Laval University of which last he was, in 1876, the Dufferin Medallist in the law faculty. On being admitted to practice law, he rapidly pushed to the front, and soon acquired a large business. He is an able criminal lawyer, and in 1879, was appointed by the Provincial Government, Crown prosecutor for the city and district of Quebec. He has figured in most of the important cases before the Provincial courts. He represented the Belgian Government in the Tournai frauds case at Montreal, and the United States Government in the great Eno extradition case at Quebec. He was counsel for Messrs. McGreevey and Connolly, in connection with the Tarte charges, also counsel for Hon. Mercier, Hon. C. Langelier and E. Pacaud, in the Quebec political prosecutions. In 1885, he awoke to find himself famous all over the Dominion, by his retainer as one of the leading counsel for the defence in the Riel case. Mr. Fitzpatrick was elected a member of the Provincial Legislature for the county of Quebec in June, 1890, and re-elected for the same constituency in March, 1892. From the moment he entered the House, he took a foremost position as a speaker and debater, having complete command of both languages, English and French. On the formation of the De Boucherville ministry in 1891, he refused the portfolio of Attorney General and a seat in the Cabinet as the representative of the Irish Catholic element, on the ground of his Liberal antecedents, but promised to support all honest and economical government from whatever party it proceeded. He is at present (1892) a foremost member of the Liberal opposition, of which he was offered the leadership. He was married May 20th, 1879, to Miss Corinne, daughter of the late Hon. R. E. Caron, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec, and sister of Sir Adolphe Caron.

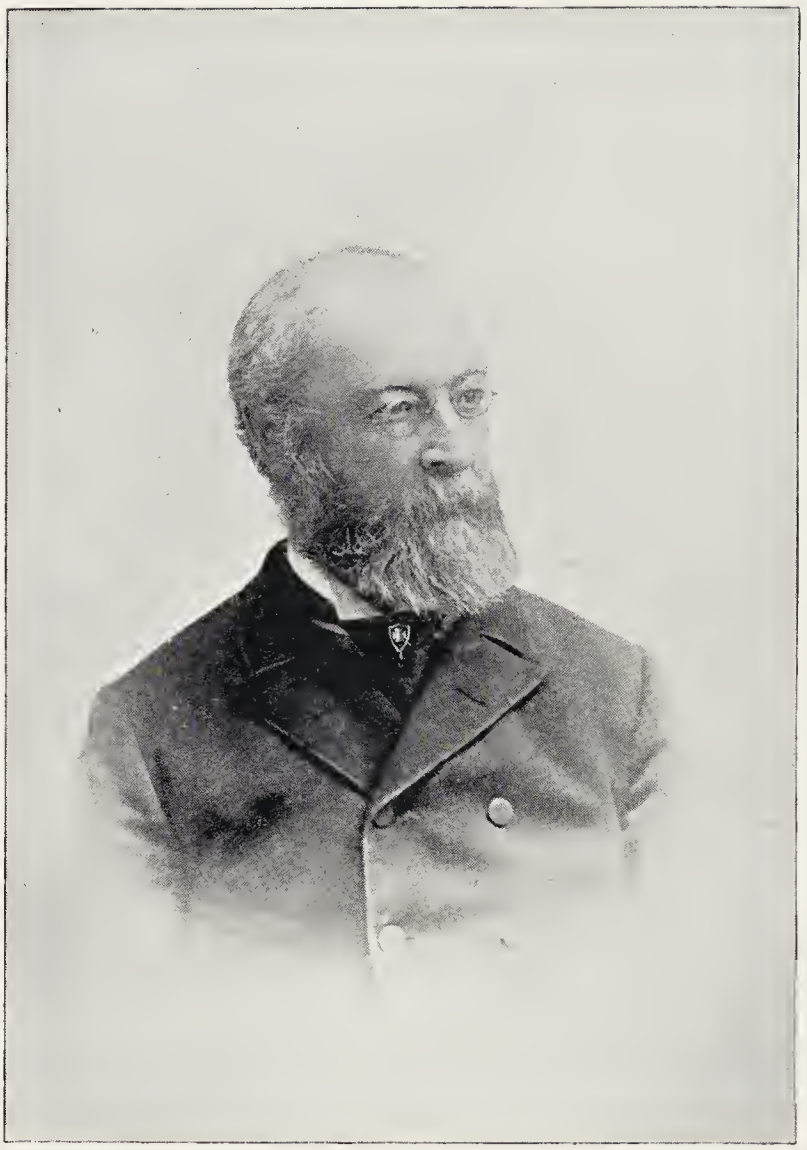
LIEUT.-COL. HENRY CASSADY ROGERS, postmaster, Peterborough, Ont., was born in Grafton, Ontario, July 16th, 1839. His parents were Lieut.-Col. James G. and Maria (Burnham) Rogers, of U. E. Loyalist descent. The former died in 1874 in Grafton, Ont., where his father opened the first Post Office between Kingston and York (now Toronto). Col. Rogers began his studies at the Grafton public school, and at the age of twelve, entered the Model school, Toronto. He subsequently attended the Grammar school at Kingston. After leaving the latter institution, he engaged in business with his uncle, the late Lieut.-Col. R. D. Rogers of Ashburnham, with whom he remained for about five years. He then formed a partnership with his brother-in-law, Harry Strickland, under the firm name of Strickland and Rogers, and for ten years conducted a successful lumbering, mining and mercantile trade in Peterboro'. In 1871, Col. Rogers received his present appointment, and consequently retired from business to attend to the duties of his office. He has made a most efficient and obliging official, and has given every satisfaction to the general public. In 1889 he was elected commodore of the American Canoe Association, and is well up in all nautical matters. Like his illustrious ancestors, Col. Rogers is every inch a soldier, and has always had a great love for military life. At the age of sixteen he joined the Peterborough Rifles. He was duly promoted and took an active part during the Fenian raid of 1866. He is an active member and Pastmaster of the Masonic order, and is in religion an Episcopalian. The colonel's official position, prevents him from taking the active part in politics for which his talents qualify him, but his sympathy is with the Conservative party. He was married September 1st, 1863, to Maria, eldest daughter of Dr. W. H. Burritt, Esq., of Smith's Falls, Ont. The latter is also of genuine U. E. L. stock. The family of Col. Rogers consists of five sons and two daughters.

OLIVIER M. AUGÉ, Q.C., M.P.P. Montreal, Que., was born in the Parish of Sorel, Quebec, August 7th, 1845. He is a son of Olivier and Henriette (Piché) Augé, both of whom were among the early settlers of Quebec Province. Mr. Augé began his education in Joliette, where he attended college. After completing his course he began the study of law at Joliette in the office of Mr. now Judge Baby (of the court of Queen's Bench), and afterwards with Cartier, Pominville and Bétournay, of Montreal. On finishing his law course he began practice and soon acquired an important legal business, and now (1892), occupies a prominent position in the city of Montreal, not only in connection with his profession, but is also a noted factor in public affairs generally. In 1890, Mr. Augé was the Liberal Conservative candidate for St. James Division, Montreal, but was defeated by alderman Brunet by a majority of 220, but in 1892, he defeated the same man by a majority of 132. This was a very exciting contest, the number of votes cast was over 5,000. Mr. Augé is in religion a Roman Catholic. He was married in November, 1871, to Miss Melina, daughter of Dr. Hercule Roy.

WILLIAM WARREN DEAN, Lindsay, Ont., judge of the county and surrogate courts of Victoria and Haliburton counties, local judge of the High Court and Master in Chancery, was born in London, Ontario, October 25th, 1830. He is the son of the Rev. Horace and Ruth (Tisdale) Dean, both U. E. Loyalists. Judge Dean began his studies at the Grammar school, Barrie, and subsequently attended the Victoria University, Cobourg, from which he received his B. A. in 1854. He studied law at Belleville with Lewis Wallbridge, Q.C., late chief justice of Manitoba. He was called to the Bar in 1858, and practised in Belleville until 1874, and during the greater part of this time was Master in Chancery. He was then appointed judge of Victoria county, and in 1886, the Provisional county of Haliburton was added for judicial purposes. Judge Dean, is in religion, a Methodist. He has been a delegate for many years to the General Conferences, and for thirty years has been a member of the board of Regents and Senate of Victoria University. Mrs. Dean is the eldest daughter of the late Gilbert Bogart, of Belleville, also a well known U. E. Loyalist family.



THE LATE HON. COL. W. RHODES, Quebec, Que., was born at Bramhope Hall, Yorkshire, England, in 1821, and was educated in the schools and colleges of that land. At an early age he entered the army as an ensign in the 68th Durham Light Infantry, commanded by Lord William Paulet. This regiment was sent to the West Indies and subsequently ordered to Canada in 1842. On obtaining his company, Capt. Rhodes decided to settle at Quebec, and in 1848 acquired the beautiful and picturesque lands of "Benmore," formerly owned by Sir Dominic Daly, late Governor of Prince Edward Island. He was married, in 1847, to Miss Anne C. Dunn, daughter of the late Robert Dunn, son of the former administrator of the Government. Col. Rhodes soon entered the political arena, and in 1850 he went to the Canadian Commons as the representative of the county of Megantic, which, more than twenty-five years later, renewed its confidence in its old member. The colonel was a most energetic promoter of railways and was for years chairman of the North Shore Line (since merged into the C. P. R.). His ever active mind was constantly employed in revolving the questions of improvements in farm stock, tillage of the soil, the erection of butter and cheese factories over the length and breadth of the land, the opening of colonization roads, and the recognition by legislation of agricultural merit. It was evident that the coming exponent of the agricultural class of the province was Col. Rhodes, and in 1887 he became Minister of Agriculture and Colonization. The Colonel lived in his rural home like a respected English gentleman of the olden time. His roses and strawberries were famous; his advice was always, and his purse not unfrequently, at the disposal of the needy. He died suddenly from an attack of paralysis, Feb. 17th, 1892, and was laid to rest by gentle and loving hands, under the shade of the whispering pines of solemn and beautiful Mount Hermon, not far from the fragrant walks and pleasant bowers of "Benmore."



GEORGE HENRY FREWEN DARTNELL, Whitby, Ont., junior judge of the county of Ontario; local judge of the High Court of Justice for the province of Ontario; local master in Chancery, and special examiner in all the courts, was born Feb. 13th, 1834, in the city of Limerick, Ireland. He is the son of the late Edward Taylor Dartnell, a prominent Irish solicitor, who came to this country in the year 1850 and settled in Toronto. His education was begun at King's College, London, England, and continued and completed under the tuition of his father. He first studied law under the present Chief Justice Hagarty, and the late Lieutenant-Governor Crawford, and subsequently with the late Hon. John Hillyard Cameron, the Hon. J. B. Robinson and C. J. Robinson. He was admitted to the Bar in 1857, and commenced his profession in Whitby where he still resides. He was for some time a partner of H. J. McDonell, and also of Hector Cameron, Q.C. He was appointed Master in Chancery in 1859, and junior judge in 1873, both of which offices he still holds (1892). Judge Dartnell is known as a brilliant scholar and an honor to the Bench. He was a sub-editor of the *Daily Patriot*, the first daily paper issued in Toronto, and has given much valuable aid to the cause of education, having been for eighteen years a member of the school board of the town of Whitby, and for nine years chairman of that body. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and A.O.F. Societies. Is past grand senior deacon of the Grand Lodge of Canada; past district deputy grand master and representative in the Grand Lodge of Canada, of the Grand Lodge of Cuba and Ceylon. He is president of St. Patrick's Society and of the Whitby Cricket Club. He is now (1892) a lieutenant-colonel (unattached) of the volunteer force and served on the frontier during the Fenian raids. He has been married twice, first to Louisa Hawke, daughter of Anthony B. Hawke, and second to Caroline Gross, daughter of G. C. Gross, of Whitby.

AUGUSTIN COTÉ, printer and journalist, Quebec, was born in that city in 1818. He is a son of Augustin and Marie-Louise (Letarte) Côté, and first went to a primary school called Bishop's Chapel, where he was prepared to make his first communion in Notre Dame Church in 1829. He learned the art of printing, and in 1834 worked in company with the now great publisher, John Lovell, of Montreal. In 1837, he began a course of private study, and, in 1842, became sub-editor of *La Gazette de Québec*, and later on started the *Journal de Québec*, with Joseph Cauchon, as chief editor, who died in Manitoba in 1885, having been Lieutenant-Governor of that Province. Among Mr. Côté's many publications may be mentioned, *Les Relations des Jésuites*, in three large volumes, which appeared in 1857-58. He has also printed *L'Annuaire de l'Université Laval*, since its establishment in 1854. In 1855, he offered a premium for the best abridgment of the History of Canada. The task was accepted by the late Mr. F. X. Garneau, and over 38,000 copies sold up to 1870. In 1861, Mr. Côté was invited to run for the Legislative Assembly, and, at the beginning of Confederation, he was tendered the Postmastership of Quebec, both of which he declined in order to promote his journal. He has been magistrate since 1855, and Captain in the Militia, under a commission signed by Sir Edmund Head. After an influential course of 47 years, his journal was, by an unexpected event, forced to suspend. Suffice it to say, that our subject has been a great worker, persevering, honest, deserving and universally respected for his many good qualities of head and heart. Mr. Côté was married in 1845 to Miss Caroline Emilie Lemieux, daughter of the late Charles Lemieux. Of a family of thirteen children, eight are living, amongst whom are Augustine, wife of Hon. E. J. Flynn, Minister of Crown Lands; and Amélie, wife of Adolphe Poisson, advocate and Registrar of Arthabaska.

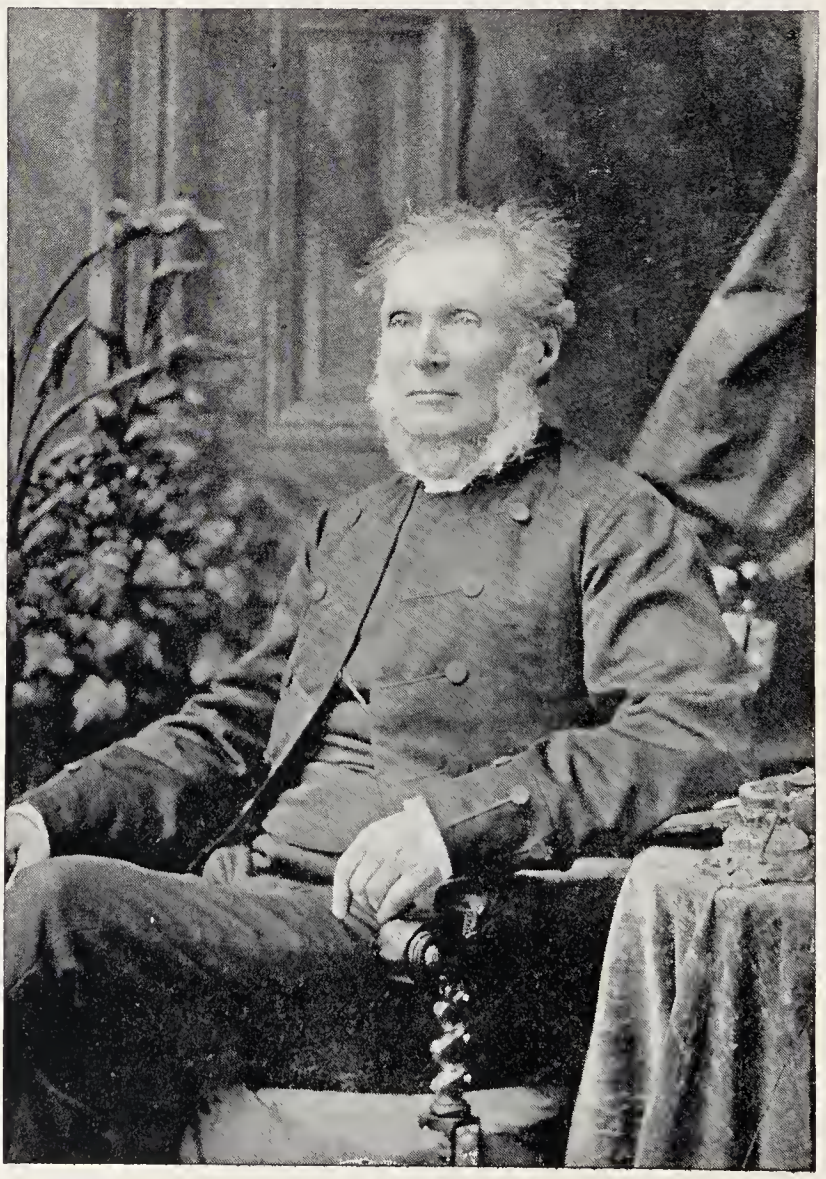
MAJOR SAM. HUGHES, M.P. of *The Warder*, Lindsay, Ontario, was born in Darlington, Durham county, Ontario, January 8th, 1852. His father, John Hughes, a native of Tyrone, Ireland, came to Canada about 1845, taught school, settled on a farm, and now lives retired at Blackstock, Ont. His father was one of the famous 67 "Royal Bengal Tiger" Regiment. Major Hughes' mother is Caroline Laughlin, daughter of a British Royal Artillery officer, and grand-daughter of a Huguenot Cavalry officer, Poirier de St. Pierre, under Bonaparte. Educated in Durham schools, Toronto Model and Normal schools, the University of Toronto and the Military school under the 29 line Regiment, Mr. Hughes holds "1st A." School Inspector's and "1st class Military" and University Modern Languages, Honor certificates, and is author of a map of Canada and a geography. He is member of A.F. & A.M., I.O.O.F., L.O.L., O.R.A. and D.R.A. As teacher, he served in Belleville, Lifford, Bowmanville, and for ten years in Toronto Collegiate Institute, where he was first English master. In 1885, he purchased *The Warder*, which he has since conducted with very great success. The circulation has increased four fold since he assumed control of the paper. As athlete, Mr. Hughes in 1872, won championship mile race for America, and from 1872 to 1884, was on "1st 12" of Toronto Lacrosse Club, besides active in football, cricket, baseball, bicycling and rowing. He is also a good rifleman. In 1891, he was defeated for the Commons for North Victoria by J. A. Barren, Q.C., but in 1892, on revised lists, he won over Mr. Barren by the handsome majority of 239 votes. A Methodist and Liberal Conservative, Mr. Hughes is opposed to union of Church and State. He was twice married; first, in 1872, to Caroline J., daughter of Major Preston of Manvers, and second, in 1875, to Mary E., daughter of Harvey W. Burk, ex-M.P., Bowmanville. A son and a daughter of his second wife constitute the family.

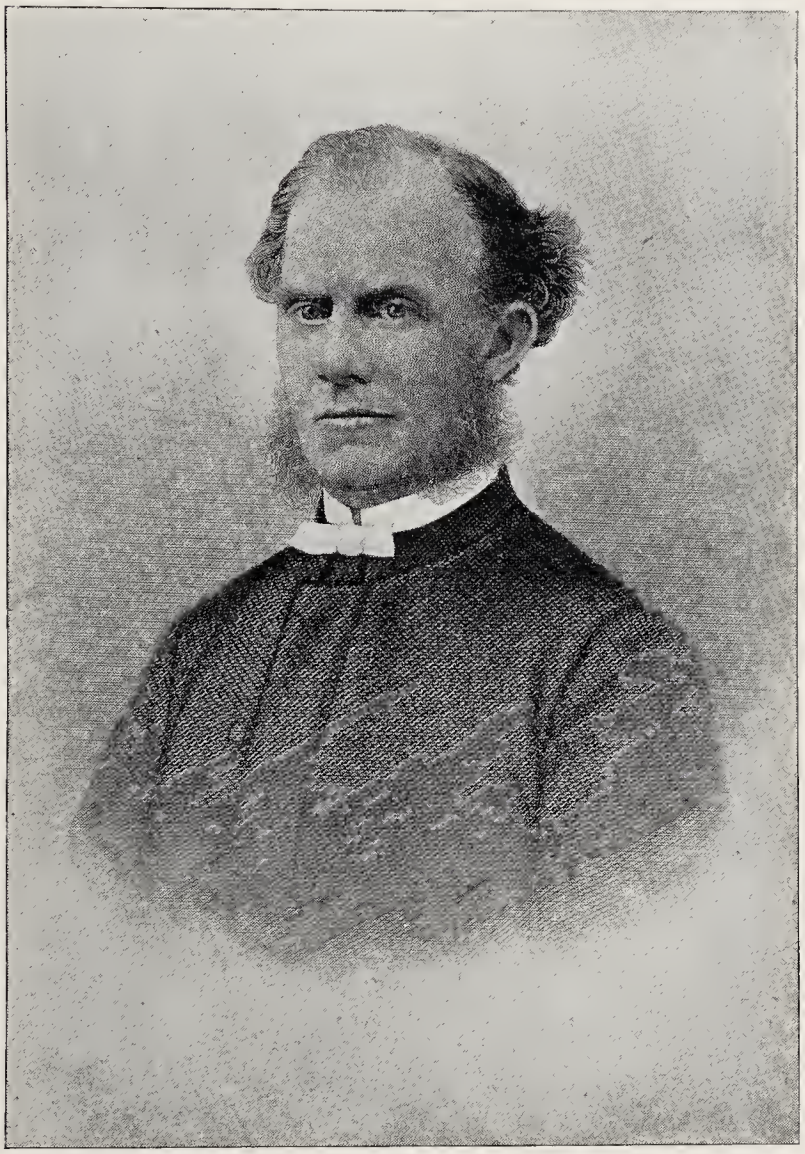
WILLIAM HENRY WILKISON, Napanee, Ont., Judge of the county of Lennox and Addington, was born in the city of Kingston, Ontario, in 1838. He is the son of William and Mary (O'Reilly) Wilkison. Judge Wilkison received his education in Kingston. He entered upon the study of law at Kingston and was admitted to the Bar in 1861, having made rapid progress in completing his course. He located at Napanee where he was appointed County Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace. He was also Deputy Reeve of the town for one year. In 1869 he was made judge of the courts of the county above named, and was succeeded as County Crown Attorney by W. A. Reeve, now of the Law School, Toronto. The judge, although one of the youngest on the bench, brought to the discharge of the duties of his office not only a well trained judicial mind, but also that ability and dignity so essential to the position. In religion he is an active and influential member of the Church of England, having been church warden, and is now a lay delegate to the Provincial Synod. Judge Wilkison was married, in 1863, to Isabella Allan, daughter of the late Wm. Allen Geddes, Hamilton, Ont.

REV. FRS.-XAVIER FAGUY, Parish Priest of the Basilica of Notre Dame, Quebec, Que., was born in St. Jean-Baptiste, Quebec, October 15th, 1853. He is the son of François Faguy and Marguerite Voyer. The Rev. Mr. Faguy was educated in Quebec Seminary and graduated in Laval University. He was ordained priest June 7th, 1879, and was professor of literature in Quebec Seminary for eight years. He entered the parochial ministry, acting as curate at Charlesbourg, St. Jean-Baptiste and St. Rochs, Quebec, successively. He was also Chaplain to the Congregation in the last named parish. On the breaking out of the North-West insurrection, Father Faguy was appointed Chaplain to the 9th Voltigeurs de Quebec, and served with the battalion until the close of the troubles, receiving a medal for services rendered during the campaign. The reverend gentleman is president of the Quebec School commission and one of the judges of the ecclesiastical court for the Archdiocese. The Rev. Mr. Faguy has made an impression on his people and country at a very early age, and as he is yet in the early prime of his manhood, has a splendid future before him.

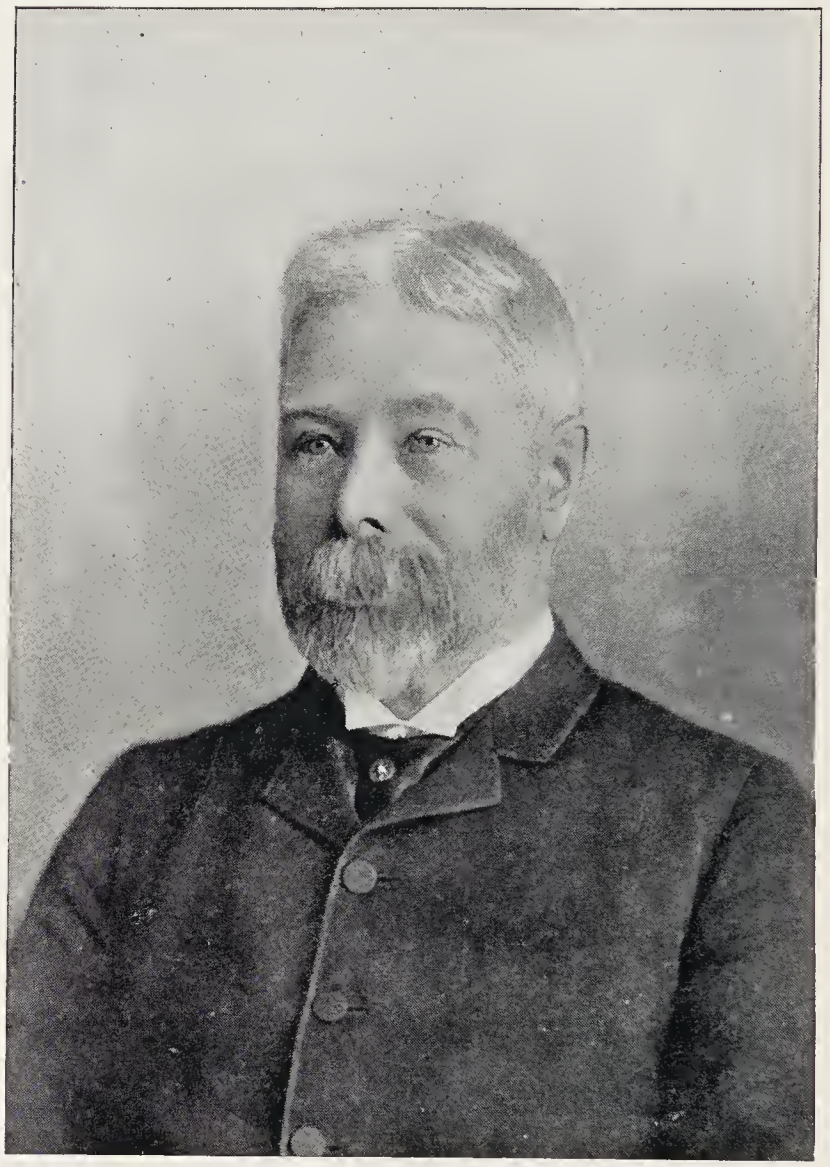
CAPTAIN ALEX. FARLINGER, Morrisburg, Ont., was born in Dundee, Huntingdon Co., Que., June 1st, 1824. His father, James Farlinger, was of German U. E. Loyalist descent, and his mother, Barbara Gardiner, was a native of Ayrshire, Scotland. Captain Farlinger had the advantage of a few years in the public schools, but is practically a self-educated man. When he was about nineteen years of age, he entered the employ of Mason & Farlinger, forwarders, Montreal, with whom he remained for about two and a half years, when he took charge of the royal mail steamer the "Lord Elgin" from Kingston to Montreal, for the joint firms of Macpherson, Crane & Co. and Hooker & Holton, which position he held for seven years without an accident of any kind. During the next two years he was engaged in the forwarding and general merchant business in Prescott. On June 1st, 1854, he was married to Isabella F., daughter of the late Capt. Wm. Kyle, of Morrisburg, Ont. Mrs. Farlinger was possessed of very extensive farm lands, which being added to his own already large possessions, compelled him to give up all other business and devote his undivided attention to the management of this estate of nearly 20,000 acres of valuable farm lands, besides other village and town property, all in Eastern Ontario. He has taken an active interest in a number of railway enterprises, one of which was the originating of the scheme to run a railway from Ottawa to New York (bridging the St. Lawrence at Morrisburg), and which was chartered in 1882 under the name of the Ottawa, Waddington and New York Railway and Bridge Company. The press of private business always prevented him from accepting many public honors in the way of important offices which were frequently tendered him. He owes much of his success, in a business way, to his qualities of keen observation and quick decision. In religion he is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Conservative and enjoyed the intimate friendship of the late Sir John A. Macdonald.

THE LATE REV. JOHN COOK, D.D., LL.D., Presbyterian minister, Quebec, Que., was born in Sanquhar, Dumfriesshire, Scotland, April 13th, 1805. He was educated at the Universities of Glasgow and Edinburgh, where he studied under Dr. Chalmers of distinguished memory. Dr. Cook was ordained a clergyman of the Church of Scotland in 1835, and came to Canada in the following year. He always took a prominent part in the affairs of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland, and after the general union of Presbyterians in 1875, was equally loyal to the United Church. After the departure of the Free Church party, Dr. Cook was twice elected moderator of the Synod. He opposed the division of the Canadian Church, maintaining that it was the duty of Canadian Presbyterians to remain united. While still laboring to promote the extension of the old branch of the Presbyterian Church, he remained consistent with his opinions of 1844. At the Synod of 1861, Dr. Cook moved a resolution to promote the union of all the Presbyterians of the province. This resolution failed, but in 1875, the union so manifestly desirable was brought about, and he was chosen first moderator of the Presbyterian Church of the Dominion. He was also one of the delegates sent to obtain a royal charter for the University of Queen's College, Kingston, of which he was for a long period a trustee, and for some time principal. The High School, justly regarded as one of the best schools in the country, was established mainly through his exertions in 1843. He was for many years chairman of the Board of Directors, and took a warm interest in its struggles and success. Dr. Cook was named by the late Dr. Morrin, as principal of the college then about to be established in Quebec, and since 1861, until his death in 1892, he filled the office of principal. In 1880, the degree of LL.D. was conferred upon him by Queen's University; that of D.D. he held from the University of Glasgow.

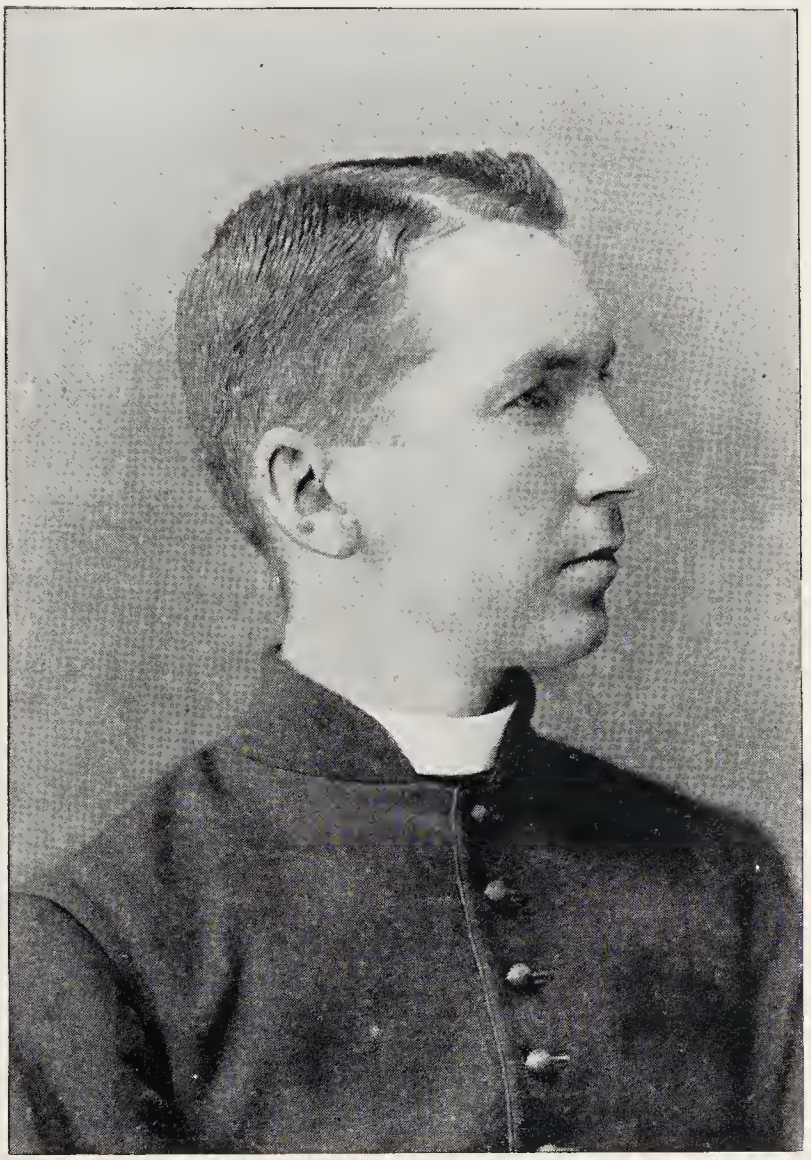




REV. A. B. DEMILL, president of Demill Ladies' College, Oshawa, Ont., and principal of Demill Residential Academy, Toronto, was born in Northport, Prince Edward county, Ontario, July 10th, 1831. His parents were Isaac and Amelia (Mills) Demill. Up to the time of his manhood, Mr. Demill's education was confined to the common schools, but he subsequently attended Victoria College, Cobourg, until failing health, forced him to abandon his studies and enter mercantile life. In 1856, he had strong convictions that God required him for the work of the ministry, and began at once to prepare for that calling, and entered as a probationer in 1860. During the twelve years Mr. Demill remained in the active work, his career was marked by most signal success in the conversion of sinners, the strengthening of believers, and the enlarging, beautifying and building of churches. In 1874, his long cherished hope of founding a ladies' college assumed practical shape. He purchased a beautiful site, comprising twenty-eight acres of ground, in the town of Oshawa, and erected the present beautiful and substantial college. This he accomplished without any denominational help, financially or socially, and to-day Demill Ladies' College, Oshawa, stands high in the esteem of the Protestant public throughout the Dominion. In 1890, he opened his Residential Academy in Toronto, and is already (1892) meeting with much encouragement in his object of providing a series of schools which will obviate the necessity of Protestant girls attending Roman Catholic convents. His efforts to sustain this good work are simply herculean, and too much credit cannot be given him for the success he has achieved. Mr. Demill is publishing a monthly paper called *The Protestant*, which is full of information on the superiority and necessity of Protestant institutions for our Canadian girls. He was married in 1854 to Miss Hurd, daughter of E. Hurd, Esq., of Whitby. His family consists of one daughter, who is an art graduate of 1891.



FELIX CARBRAY, merchant and M.P.P., Quebec, Que., was born on the old historic "Holland" farm, near the city of Quebec, Dec. 23rd, 1835. He is a son of the late Niall Carbray of Tyrone county, Ireland. Mr. Carbray was educated in the city of Quebec, where he has always resided. He is a member of the well-known firm of Carbray, Routh & Co., lumber merchants, who have offices in Quebec and Montreal. Mr. Carbray has won a good position in the commercial world, and as a business man, has received the public confidence wherever known. In addition to his other duties, he fills the important office of Consul of Portugal at the Port of Quebec. He is a trustee of St. Patrick's Church, and also of that noble Irish Catholic Charity, the St. Bridget's Asylum. He occupies a large place in the regard of the Irish Catholic population of the ancient capital, which he represented in the Quebec Parliament from 1881 to 1886. He also takes an active part in all the local national movements of his countrymen, and has filled the highest offices in the various influential Irish bodies in his native city. In politics he is a Liberal Conservative, and was first elected to the Legislature in 1881. His career in the House has been very creditable. He is a good speaker and debater, and speaks both English and French with equal fluency. He is specially strong on matters of finance and commerce. Mr. Carbray was returned by acclamation as M.P.P. for Quebec West at the Provincial General Election on the 8th March, 1892. He is also a commissioner on the Board of the Quebec Harbor Commission. Mr. Carbray was the mover of the resolution adopted by the Quebec Legislature, in favor of granting home rule to Ireland, and sympathy with Mr. Gladstone in his efforts to solve the Irish problem. His prominence on this occasion increased, if possible, his popularity among his constituents of Irish descent. He was married, May 1854, to Miss Margaret, daughter of Wm. Carberry, Esq., who came to this country in 1847.



REV. LOUIS ADOLPHE PAQUET, B.A., Doctor of Theology, Professor of Apologetic and Dogmatic Theology at Laval University, and assistant director of the Grand Seminary of Quebec, Que., was born in the parish of St. Nicholas, county of Lévis, Quebec, April 4th, 1859. He is the son of Adolphe and Eléonore (Demers) Paquet, the heads of one of the old French families of the province, and which has given to the Roman Catholic Church five priests and several nuns. Dr. Paquet studied in the Quebec Seminary. He entered the ecclesiastical state in 1879, and was sent to Rome to study theology at the University of the Propaganda, where he spent four years in following the courses of celebrated professors, and took his theological degrees after a public controversy before Pope Leo XIII. He was ordained a priest in the Church of St. John Lateran, on March 24th, 1883, by Card. Monaco Lavaletta. Doctor Paquet returned from Rome the same year, carrying with him several prizes and medals including two from the Pope himself. Since that time, while teaching theology and preaching, he has written a book the title of which is *La Foi et la Raison.*

DUNCAN RAY, dry goods merchant, and mayor of Lindsay, Ont., was born in the county of Victoria, November 25th, 1848. He is the son of Angus Ray, one of the first school teachers in the early history of the township of Eldon, and for a long period, clerk of that township, and a postmaster for over twenty years. Mr. Ray was educated at the common schools of Victoria county, and at the age of sixteen, engaged as a dry goods clerk in the establishment of Mr. Robert Spier, of Lindsay. He spent a portion of 1872 in the wholesale dry goods trade. After this, he embarked in business for himself, and has now a thoroughly established trade in the town of Lindsay. He has given considerable attention to public affairs, and has received a good share of municipal honors; he was in the council during 1887 and 1888; Deputy Reeve for 1889, and was elected mayor for 1892. He is a member of the Masonic and Oddfellows societies, which he has represented in the grand lodges. He is in religion a Presbyterian, and on the board of management. In politics, a Liberal Conservative. He was married in May, 1875, to a daughter of the late Dr. Skinner, of Burford, Ont.

GEORGE COULSON WORKMAN, M.A., Ph. D., Professor of Old Testament Exegesis and Literature in Victoria University, Cobourg, Ontario, was born near Grafton, Ontario, September 28th, 1848. Dr. Workman began his education at the public school. In January 1870, he entered Victoria College, Cobourg, and in May 1875, received the degree of B.A. from Victoria University. He then went to Europe and travelled over England, Scotland, Ireland, France, Italy and Switzerland. In June 1876, he was appointed assistant editor of the Toronto *Christian Guardian* which position he filled for two years. Dr. Workman became a candidate for the Methodist Ministry in June 1873. In 1878, he received the degree of M. A., was then ordained and spent the next four years in the regular pastoral work. In 1882, he obtained an assistant professorship in Victoria University, and taught Hebrew and Philosophy for two years. In May 1884, he received his present appointment, and shortly went to Leipzig to qualify for special departmental work in Oriental languages, where he spent nearly five full academic years in that way. He was there privileged to attend lectures by Prof. Delitzsch in Old Testament Exegesis and Assyriology; by Prof. Krehl in Arabic and Syriac, and by Prof. Heinze in Philosophy. The greater part of his time, however, was spent in private study and investigation, as pastor of the American Church. In 1889, the University of Leipzig conferred on him the degree of Ph. D. in recognition of his work on Textual Criticism, entitled "The Text of Jeremiah." This work not only received an appreciative introduction from Prof. Delitzsch, but also encouraging reviews from distinguished scholars in Great Britain, Germany and America. But the work which has stamped his name on the public mind is his well-known publication on "Messianic Prophecy," which is constantly bringing him the most gratifying testimonies from noted literary men in different parts of the world.

CORTEZ FESSENDEN, M.A., Principal of the Collegiate Institute, Peterborough, Ont., was born at Romeo, Mich. U.S., March 11, 1851. His parents were Elisha and Elsie, (Tibetts) Fessenden, both natives of the Province of Quebec and descendants of the early pioneers who came from the United States and settled in Quebec. Mr. Fessenden began his education at the Knowlton Academy, Que., and at the age of fifteen years entered the McGill Normal School, Montreal, where he remained for two years. He then taught school for three years and subsequently entered Trinity University, Toronto, where he won the Wellington Scholarship. He held the position of Mathematical Master in Hellmuth College, London, for eighteen months and was appointed Principal of Brampton High School in 1876, which position he filled very sucessfully for five years. His success at Brampton induced the Napanee Board to offer him the principalship of the High School in that town. He accepted the position and for nine years filled it with great credit to himself and advantage to the large number of students under his care. In 1890, Mr. Fessenden was appointed to his present responsible position in the Collegiate Institute. In his new sphere his sterling qualities and devotion to his profession, have served to strengthen his previously good record. The fact that in every place where he has labored, it has been necessary to erect larger and improved school accommodation, speaks volumes for his ability and success. He is not only a brilliant scholar, but a born educator, having a fine natural adaptation to his chosen profession. He is a member of the Masonic and A. O. U. W. societies, and in religion is a member of the Church of England. Politically he does not take an active part, but his sympathy and support have always been given to the Conservative party. Mr. Fessenden was married December 18th, 1878, to Miss Ethel E. eldest daughter of T. A. Agar, Esq., of Brampton, Ontario.

WILLIAM FORSYTH ALLEN, Mayor of Bowmanville, Ont., was born near Port Hope, Durham county, June 27th, 1833. His parents were William H. and Margaret (Fair) Allen, both natives of Ireland. He was educated at the public schools of the township of Hope. Until his removal from Clarke to Bowmanville in 1878, he was engaged in farming, filling at the same time various public offices; was treasurer of the townships of Hope and Clarke, held a seat at the Council Board in the latter township nine years, and in the County Council six years. Was warden of the United Counties of Northumberland and Durham. He has been elected mayor of Bowmanville by acclamation three successive times. Mr. Allen is a director of the Standard and Western Banks, and vice-president of the Ontario Loan and Savings Co. Few men have been the recipients of so many public honors, and the sterling qualities exhibited by him in filling the many responsible offices to which he was called are seldom seen. He is an active, staunch Reformer, and a member of the Presbyterian Church. In 1862, he was married to Lucy Lyall, daughter of the late John Lyall, Durham county, Ontario.

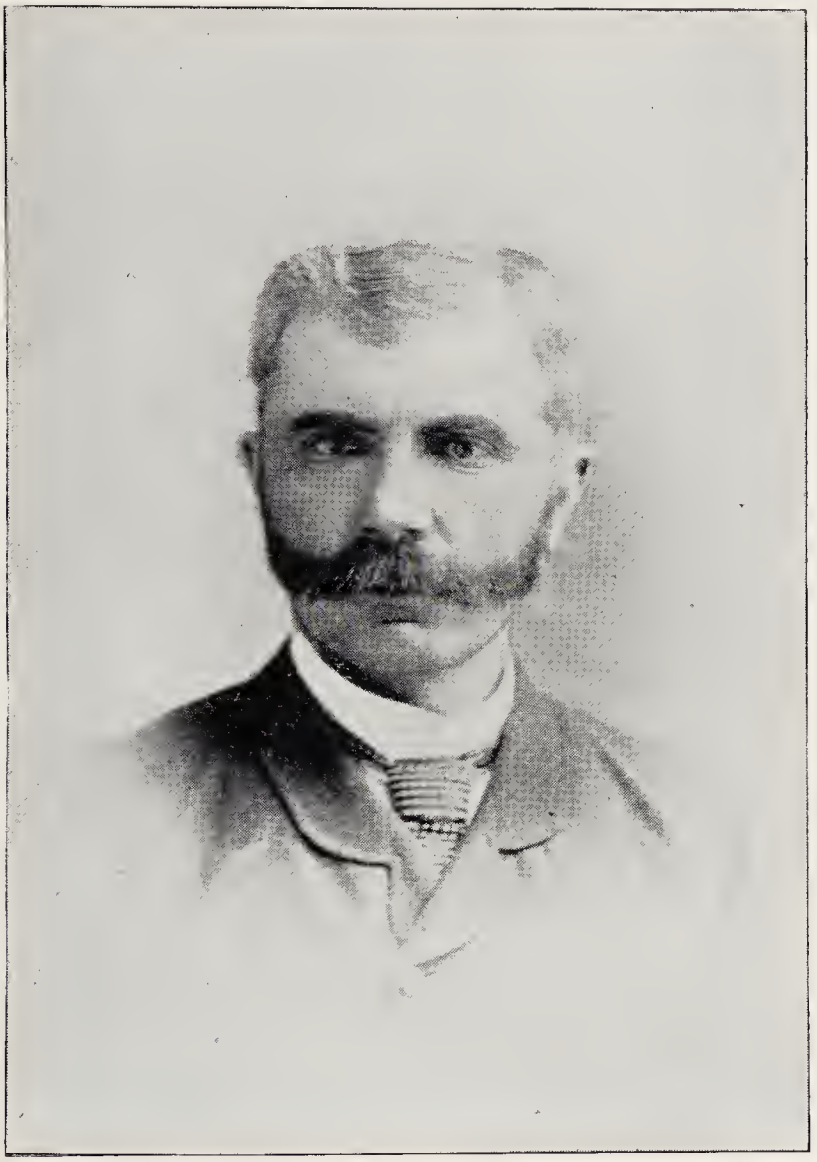
THEODORE DOUCET, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in that city June 18th, 1846. His father, the late Theodore Doucet, and his grandfather, Benjamin Doucet, were notaries public until their death, and their large and important *clientelles* descended from father to son. Benjamin Doucet, a jurist of note, published several important works on Canadian laws, etc., and was otherwise known as an able professional man. Our subject was educated at the Jesuit College, subsequently devoted his time to notarial business, and continues to merit and enjoy public confidence. He is a commissioner for taking affidavits for Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba. He took an active part in Militia matters, and served as captain of No. 1 Battery, Montreal Garrison, and was under fire in the second Fenian raid at Trout River, county of Huntingdon. His grandfather was major in the Canadian Militia, and obtained the Chateauguay Medal. Mr. Doucet was married September 26th, 1871, to Jessy Ann, daughter of the late George Pascal Desbarats, Queen's Printer, and great granddaughter of the late Col. Bruyères, of the Royal Engineers, A.D.C., in Quebec, to the Duke of Kent.

GEO. ALVA CARSON, M.D., Collector of Customs, Whitby, Ont., was born in Prince Edward county, Ont., February 13, 1822. He is the son of William and Rachael (VanDusen) Carson, of U. E. Loyalist stock. Dr. Carson began his studies at the common schools, but is practically a self-educated man. He first studied medicine in Central Medical College, Rochester, N.Y., and graduated in 1852. He then attended McGill College, Montreal, for one year, subsequently graduated at Victoria College, Cobourg, in 1858, and was registered a member of the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1866. Dr. Carson has practiced medicine in several places since 1852, but has been in Whitby for the last thirty-five years. His name is familiar to the public as the inventor and manufacturer of patent medicines, notably amongst these is his "Liver Tonic and Blood Purifier," which is now, probably, one of the best and most widely known remedies on this continent. He has been coroner of the county of Ontario for more than twenty years, and surgeon of the Grand Trunk Railway Co. for a lengthened period. He takes a lively interest in municipal matters and has been a member of the Whitby town council for several years. In religion he is a Methodist and has been identified with that body since childhood. He has occupied nearly every office in the Church open to laymen, and although now (1892), more than seventy years of age, is still active as class leader, trustee and steward. His religious life has been marked by unusual liberality to all charitable purposes. For years he gave one fifth of his income in this way, and latterly though advancing in age, continues to give one-tenth of all he makes. Dr. Carson is a member of the A.F. and A.M.; I.O.O.F., I.O.F. and Sons of Temperance Societies, and, being universally respected, has held nearly all the important offices in each order. He was married twice: first in 1852 to Miss A. Vandervoort, of Hastings county, and second to Miss A. VanDusen in 1856.

JAMES DUNBAR, Q.C., Quebec, Que., was born 10th April, 1833. His father was the late Ferguson Dunbar, paymaster of Her Majesty's 74th Highlanders. Mr. Dunbar was educated at the Gosport Naval Academy, other well-known schools of the United Kingdom, and at the Quebec High School. In early life he turned his attention to journalism, and for a time was editor of the Quebec *Morning Chronicle*, still the leading daily of that city. However, he always evinced a taste for law, and after occupying the editorial chair of the *Chronicle* for about five years, he gave up newspaper life and devoted himself to the study of the profession to which he has so long belonged. At the age of twenty-two he was called to the bar of Lower Canada, was appointed Q.C. in 1873, and named Crown prosecutor for the district in 1878, which position he has filled ever since, except between 1886 and 1890. In 1875 his colleagues of the Quebec bar elected him their Batonnier, and they have annually chosen him as a member of the Council of the bar for the past twenty-eight years. He has been registrar of the Admiralty Court since 1873. He is a churchman of broad views, has been a delegate to the diocesan and provincial Synods of the Church of England, and in that capacity has always given an able and valued representation. He has held high office in the Masonic order, being a past principal of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada, and past grand master of the Grand Lodge of the Province of Quebec. Mr. Dunbar is a much esteemed and leading member of the Quebec bar, as evinced by the distinguished offices, above enumerated, he has been chosen to fill, and has been a successful practitioner for more than thirty years, during which time he has been retained in many important cases before all the courts of the Province. In politics he is a moderate Conservative. He was married in 1862, and his family consists of one son and two daughters; the former is a Quebec barrister, and an L. L. L., of Laval University.

REV. EDWARD HORAN MURRAY, rector of St. Michael's Church, Cobourg, Ont., was born in the city of Quebec, March 27th, 1843. His parents were Hugh and Henrietta (Horan) Murray. The former was a wholesale merchant, a mem- of Quebec City Council and one of the founders of St. Patrick's Church of that place. Our subject received his primary education from English tutors at private schools. He took Greek and Latin at Regiopolis College, Kingston; Natural Science at Laval University, Quebec, and Theology at the Grand Seminary in that city. Father Murray was ordained in St. Mary's Cathedral, Kingston, December 30th, 1866, by his uncle the late Bishop Horan. His two first years were spent as R. C. Chaplain to the British troops then stationed at Kingston. In September 1869, he became rector of the parish of Wolfe Island where he erected a handsome and commodious church and remained six years. In 1875 he was named to the pastorate of Kemptville and Mountain, where he labored most acceptably until 1879, when he was made rector of St. Michael's Church, Cobourg, his present field of labor. Father Murray is a much respected divine.

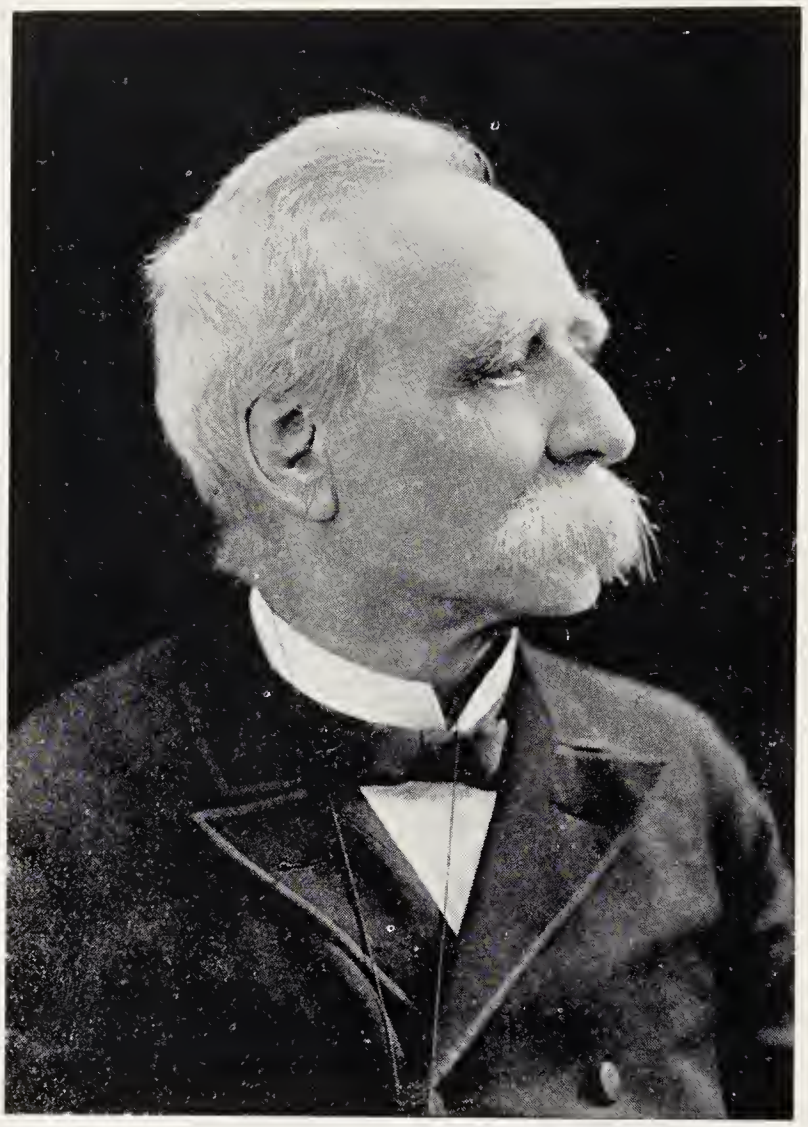
L. H. AMÉDÉE BOUCHARD, LL.B., notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in Napierville, Iberville district, Quebec, November, 4th, 1865. His father the late E. Bouchard, a man of sterling integrity and excellent judgment, was notary and registrar of Napierville for over forty years. His brother the late J. E. Z. Bouchard, an eminent legal man and French translator, was a gifted writer and a poet of great strength and beauty. Mr. Bouchard pursued his elementary studies at the Napierville Academy, where his success marked him for higher studies. When twelve years of age, he entered the Seminary of Ste. Thérèse, where he studied classics with brilliant success. He studied philosophy at the Seminary of Montreal, and as he was destined to be a notary, took a course of law at Laval University, meanwhile following the practical study of his profession in the office of Archambault & Leclerc. After passing a splendid examination in October 1890, he was admitted as notary, and has since then practiced on his own account. It is expected that his ability will be largely increased with maturing years. Mr. Bouchard is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal.



JEREMIAH LONG, wholesale grain merchant, Whitby, Ont., was born in Pickering township, Ontario county, September 6th, 1839. His parents were James and Johannah (Ryan) Long, who came from the county of Cork, Ireland, in 1831, and settled in the above township. Mr. Long acquired his education under great difficulties. He was not permitted to attend public school for more than eleven months, when he was obliged to engage in farm work, in order to maintain himself, aid his parents and secure the means of attending a night school in winter, all of which he accomplished with much credit to his industry and perseverance. He thus surmounted great obstacles and gave himself a good useful education. For fifteen years he was the successful manager of a large farm. In 1872, he engaged in buying grain for the late Chester Draper, and on the death of that gentleman in 1876, Mr. Long succeeded him in the business and has proven himself to be an unqualified success. He has now extensive connections abroad and ships from Whitby to foreign ports. Grain and produce men are most important factors in any community, but owing to the fickle nature of the markets, very few of them retire with a competency. Mr. Long appears to possess those commercial qualities which bid fair to make him an exception to the general rule. He is active in municipal affairs, was a member of the Whitby council for three years; deputy-reeve in 1878, re-elected in 1879; reeve in 1881-2, and mayor in 1886. The latter office he held for three years with much satisfaction to the citizens of Whitby. In religion he is a Roman Catholic. In politics he has always been a Conservative, but has decided to identify himself with the Equal Rights movement, to which he gave valuable assistance during the campaign of 1890. Mr. Long believes in sending men to parliament who will act in the interest of the people, irrespective of party. He was married in 1878 to Miss M. McBrady, of Pickering, Ontario.

JOSEPH EDMOND ROY, notary, Lévis, Que., was born in that place, December 7th, 1858. He is a son of Léon Roy and Marguerite La-Voye. The original family, whose name was LeRoy, came from Saint Rémi of Dieppe to Canada in 1663, and settled near Quebec. They subsequently became possessors of the seigniories of Beaumont, Vincennes and Montapeine. Mr. Roy was educated in the College of Lévis and at the Seminary of Quebec, but studied science and law in Laval University, where he took the degrees of L. B. and LL.B. Was admitted to the profession of notary in May 1880, and has since remained in Lévis, where he succeeded to his father's office, and continues to do a large practice. From 1879 to 1886 he was the chief editor of *Le Quotidien*, a daily paper published in Lévis. In 1883 and again in 1886, he contested the county of Lévis for the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, but was defeated both times. After this he decided to follow literature and history, which were more to his taste. In 1887 the Royal Society of Canada granted him a diploma for his works. In 1891 he was elected a member of that society. Mr. Roy is the author of several books, prominent among them are "Guillaume Couture, first inhabitant of Lévis," published in 1884; "Monseigneur Deziel," 1885; "L'Ordre de Malte en Amérique," 1888; "Voyage au Pays de Tadoussac," 1889, translated into English in 1891; "La Justice Seigneuriale de Notre Dame des Anges," 1890. He has also written a great number of historical sketches in *Le Journal de Québec*, *Le Courrier du Canada*, *La Presse*, &c., &c. Mr. Roy is the possessor of one of the finest collections of books and manuscripts on Canadian history, on the American continent. He is a member of the Notarial Board for the Province of Quebec, and secretary of the law commission of said board. He was married in 1885 to Lucienne Carrier, a descendant of an old French family established in Lévis since 1666. A Liberal Conservative in politics and in religion he is a Roman Catholic.

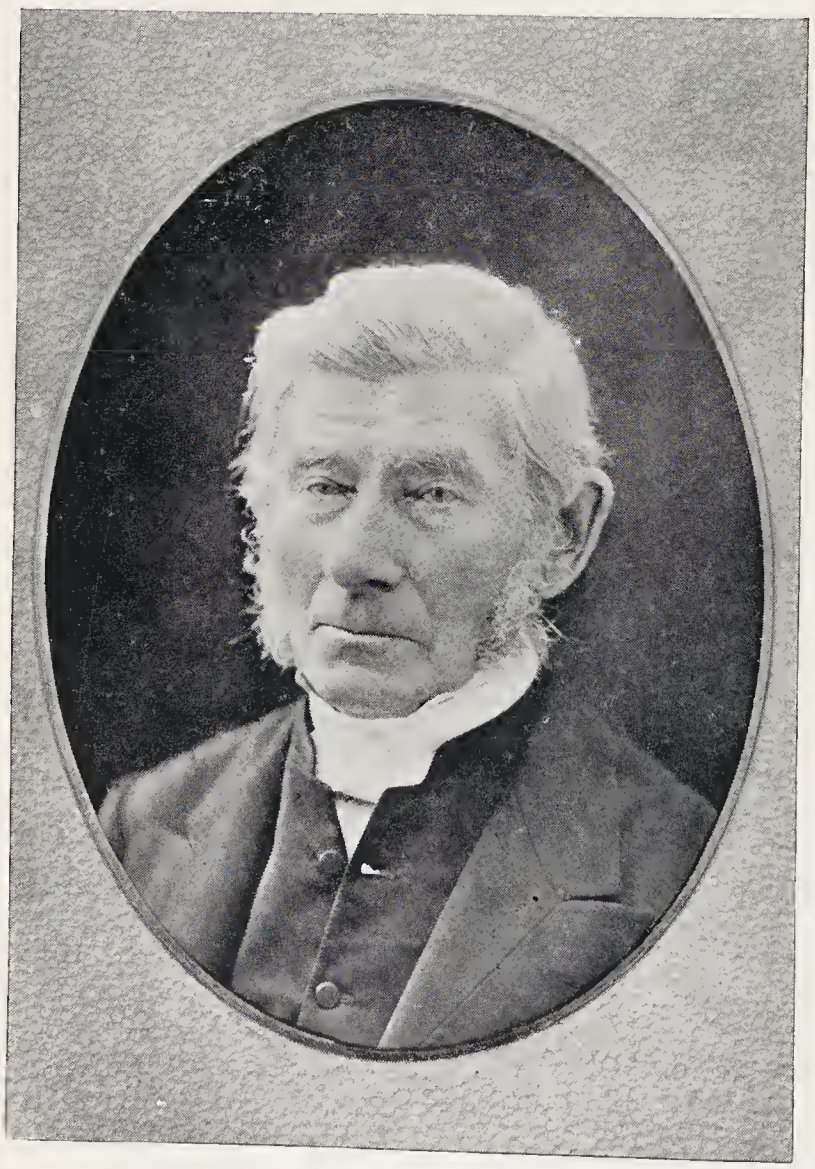
WILLIAM HAMILTON, mayor of Uxbridge, Ont., was born at that place November 2nd, 1856. He is the son of John and Nancy (Bascom) Hamilton. He received his education at the public and high schools of Uxbridge. After leaving school he served an apprenticeship in his father's general store, where he soon became thoroughly conversant with business and popular with the general public. In 1878, at the early age of twenty-two years, he was appointed postmaster of Uxbridge, and has continued to fill that position most acceptably. Mr. Hamilton has had a good share of municipal honors. He has been in the Uxbridge council for three years, reeve for one year, and in 1892 was elected mayor by acclamation. He is in religion a Presbyterian, and secretary of the board of management of that Church. He is also a member of the "Home Circle" society. In politics he is an active Conservative, with unbounded faith in his country, and believes in Canadian independence, with a defensive alliance with Great Britain. Mr. Hamilton was married September 1st, 1880, to Miss Abbie Parrish, daughter of Samuel Parrish, grain merchant, Uxbridge, Ontario.



JOHN HELDER ISAACSON, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in the village of Great Chesterford, county Essex, England, February 9th, 1820. His father, the late R. P. Isaacson, came to this country in 1832, and settled in Montreal. Mr. Isaacson was educated at the schools of Cavendish, county of Suffolk, England, emigrated to Canada in 1837 and has since resided in Montreal. He was admitted to the practice of law in 1845, and has enjoyed an extensive clientage for many years. He was a volunteer during the rebellion of 1837, the following year was gazetted as 2nd-lieutenant, and subsequently as captain of the Montreal Rifles. He was also major and lieutenant-colonel in the Hochelaga Light Infantry, and has since retired retaining rank. In religion, he is an Episcopalian, in politics, an out-and-out Liberal. He is an official in high standing of the Masonic fraternity in Montreal, being past master of several lodges, and grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, holding the latter office for nearly a quarter of a century, and has been the recipient of many tokens of esteem from the local brethern and the fraternity throughout the provinces.

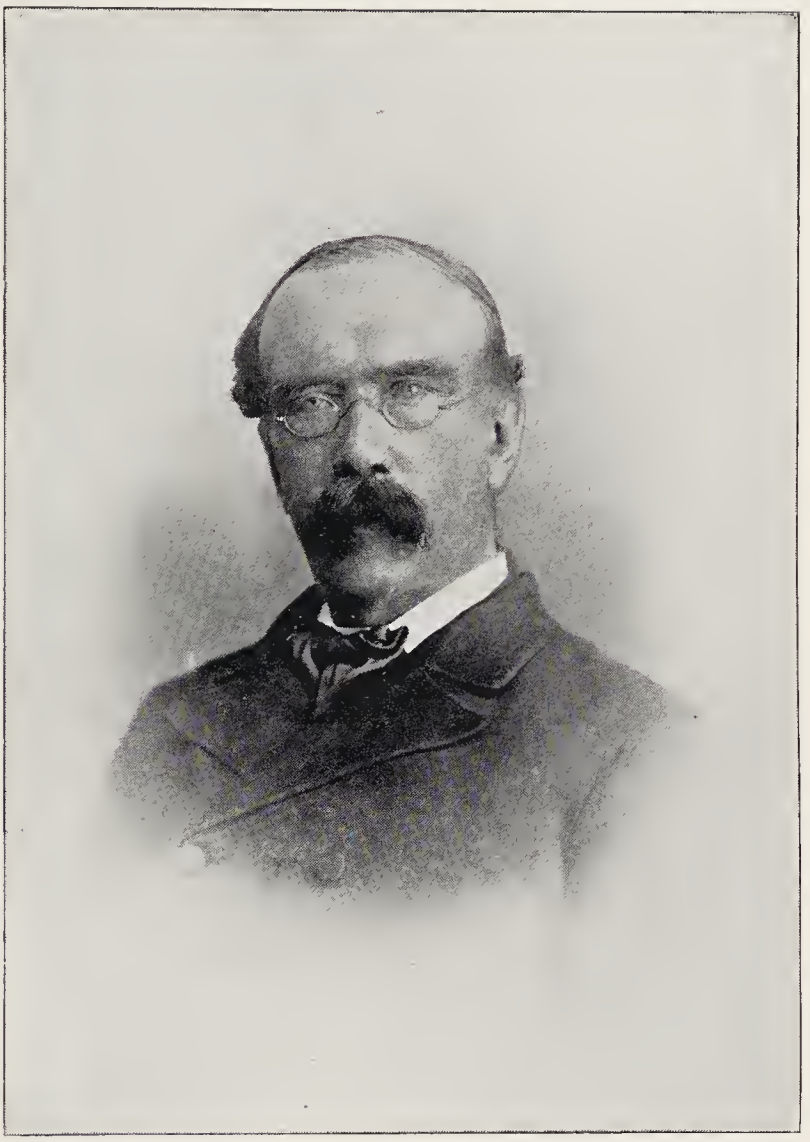
FRANCIS RAE, M.D., physician and surgeon, Oshawa, Ont., was born at Fredericton, N.B., July 8th, 1833. His parents were James and Jane (Johnston) Rae, who came from Scotland about the year 1829, and shortly after settled in Ontario county. Dr. Rae received the rudiments of his education at the public school in York county, and subsequently attended the Normal school at Toronto, after which he taught school in Ontario for ten years. During this time he began the study of medicine, and in the fall of 1863 entered upon a course of lectures at the Toronto School of Medicine, and took the degree of M.B. in 1865, and at once began the practice of his profession in the town of Oshawa where he still resides. He took his M.D. in 1866. Dr. Rae has been examiner in medicine for the University of Toronto for 1875-76 and 1891-92. He was appointed by the government a member of the Provincial Board of Health in 1882, and was chairman of the board for three years. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O. O.F., I.O.F., A.O.U.W., K. of P., and S. of S. Societies. He was W.M. in the A.F. & A.M. for three years, and on retiring was presented with a beautiful silver service. He is P.G.P. and P. G.R. of the I.O.O.F. with which order he is deservedly popular. Dr. Rae takes an active interest in municipal affairs; was reeve of Oshawa from 1876 to 1880, and mayor from 1880 to 1886. The holding of these high offices speaks volumes for his popularity with his fellow craftsmen and his standing in the community. His medical practice of nearly thirty years has given him an influence with the public and that respect throughout the country which can only be secured by long and favorable contact. He is also coroner for the county of Ontario, and surgeon of the 34th Battallion of Volunteer Militia. In religion he is a Presbyterian; in politics an active Reformer. He was married October 5th, 1865, to Miss Elizabeth Jane Currie, daughter of the late Andrew Currie, Esq., a prosperous hardware merchant of Chatham, Ont.

THE LATE REVEREND DAVID MARSH, president of the Jeffrey Hale Hospital, and for forty years pastor of the Baptist Church, Quebec, Que., was born in Accrington, Lancashire, England, December 19th, 1805. Mr. Marsh prepared for the ministry at Horton College, Bradford, England, and subsequently held three pastorates before leaving the Old land. In 1835, by invitation of a few Baptists at Quebec, he became their pastor and organized a church during his first year, with no more than fifteen or sixteen members. In 1852, he built the church which they now occupy, and in 1877, a building suitable for Sunday school and other purposes was erected. From the origin of the Jeffrey Hale Hospital, Mr. Marsh was one of its governors, and was also its president until two years before his death, on February 7th, 1888. When Lord Elgin was Governor-General of Canada, he selected Mr. Marsh as tutor of his daughter, Lady Elma Bruce, which position he held while she remained in the country. Of him a prominent literary lady of Quebec writes: "As he has always united a humility very touching and lovely with the soundest and most profound of teachings, his life has been most active and saintly, and the reverence for him has been so great that many people in sick and dying hours, who never belonged to his church, sent for him to minister to them." Had Mr. Marsh remained in England, he doubtless would have risen to the first rank among divines. He refused calls to different parts of Canada, with a higher salary, caring only for the welfare of those whom he believed needed him. The different members of his family are occupying positions of honor and trust throughout the Dominion and the United States; of these may be mentioned W. A. Marsh, one of the leading boot and shoe manufacturers of Quebec. It is estimated that he manufactures more boots and shoes than any other firm in the Province. He has been in business for twenty years and now employs between 350 and 400 hands.



REVEREND JAMES WESLEY WILKINSON, Methodist minister, Sutton West, Ont., was born in the village of Markham, Ontario, September 25th, 1857. His parents were Miles and Sarah E. (Allison) Wilkinson. The former was a native of Yorkshire, England, who came to this country in 1834. He began his education at the George street public school, Toronto, from which he passed to the Collegiate Institute, Cobourg, and subsequently attended Victoria University. Mr. Wilkinson's first appointment was Kirkville, where he had a successful pastorate. He afterwards filled the appointments of Darlington, Pickering, Aurora, Markham and Goodwood. He was ordained in Toronto in June 1884, and assigned to his present charge in June 1890. At Goodwood he accomplished a grand work and was also instrumental in erecting a beautiful parsonage. He is a man of great energy and has held important appointments in connection with the work of the denomination. He is an excellent singer, which greatly adds to his success. Mr. Wilkinson was married December 3rd, 1884, to Miss Arvilla A. Richardson, of Whitchurch township, York county, Ont.

LOMER GOUIN, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in Grondines, Que., March 19th, 1862. He received his general education at Sorel and Lévis, and studied law under Sir J. J. C. Abbott and Hon. R. Laflamme. He was admitted to the bar in January, 1884. He subsequently became partner with Judge Pagnuelo, Hon. L. O. Taillon, Hon. J. E. Robidoux, R. Préfontaine, E. N. St. Jean, and is now (1892) a partner of Hon. H. Mercier and Rodolphe Lemieux, Esq. Mr. Gouin has quickly gained the front in legal circles, and is well known for his ability as an advocate. He has frequently appeared for the Grand Trunk Railway Company, the Montreal and Champlain Junction Railway Co. and the Beauharnois Railway Co., and has never failed to acquit himself with distinction. He has published a special edition of the Quebec Municipal Code with annotations, and is now writing a book on commercial societies and joint stock companies. Mr. Gouin is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. He was a candidate for Richelieu in 1891, but was defeated by Sir Hector Langevin. He is married to Eliza, daughter of ex-premier Hon. Honoré Mercier.



LOUIS JOS. CYPRIEN FIZET, advocate, Quebec, Que., was born in that city, October 3rd, 1825. He is the son of the late Hon. Louis Fizet and Mary Powers. The former is descended from an old French family who left Normandy in 1656 and settled in Canada, and the latter is a daughter of an officer in the Royal Navy. Mr. Fizet received his education at the private school of the celebrated Dr. Wilkie, and subsequently at the Seminary of Quebec, where he had afterwards for professors, among others, the Rev. Alex. Taschereau, now His Eminence Cardinal Taschereau, the Rev. Jean Langevin, late His Grace the Bishop of Rimouski, and the Rev. M. Bonchy, a distinguished French Professor of rhetoric. At the latter institute he exhibited more than ordinary aptitude and taste for literature, for which he has since become widely known. He has travelled extensively in the Old land, and is well acquainted with the chief cities of Europe. He studied law under the Hon. Ed. Bacquet, who was later one of the Justices of the Superior Court, and the Hon. Chas. Alleyn, Q.C. Was admitted to the bar on November 24th, 1848. One year later he began to take an interest in politics, and the following year he was offered by the administration of Sir George Cartier, the office of joint Prothonotary of the Superior Court, which he accepted and still retains (1892). Mr. Fizet is alluded to as the well-known French Canadian poet, and has written some of the most graceful poems and lyrics published in this country. In 1867 he obtained the silver medal at the poetical competition open to all comers, by the Laval University on "The Discovery of America." In 1873 he was prepared to publish an edition of his poems and lyrics, most of which were unpublished, when his manuscripts were burned, which was a great loss to the public, as his professional duties will not permit him to reproduce them. He is a favorite in society, and the citizens of Quebec congratulate themselves on having such a poet and scholar in their midst.

WILLIAM EDWARD TILLEY, M.A., Ph. D., Bowmanville, Ontario, inspector of schools for Durham county and the town of Bowmanville, Port Hope and Peterborough, was born in Bowmanville, September 20th, 1840. His parents came from England in 1836 and settled in Bowmanville. His primary education was obtained in the common schools of Darlington which he attended during the winters, spending his summers on the farm and at mechanical work. Being determined to have an education he entered the Bowmanville High School at the age of eighteen and in December, 1860, obtained a certificate and for some years taught school in Darlington. In 1865 he spent a term in Day's Commercial College and a session in the Toronto Normal School, obtaining a *full course* diploma at the former institution, and a first class certificate at the latter. He was appointed, in 1869, first assistant in the Bowmanville High School, in 1872 to a similar position in the Port Hope High School, and in 1876 to his old position in Bowmanville at a greatly increased salary. In 1875 he took the B.A. degree in the Victoria University, Cobourg, in 1878 the M.A. degree in the same institution, and in 1888 the Ph.D. degree in the Wesleyan University, Bloomington, U. S. In 1880 he was appointed head master of the Lindsay High School and retained the position until he became inspector of Durham county in 1884. In 1888 he received the appointment, from the Peterborough Board, of Inspector of public schools of that town. In religion he is a Methodist and has for years been a member of the various church boards and an active worker in the Sunday school. He married Miss Selina Ann Vanstone, of Tyrone, Darlington. He is a member of the I.O. O.F. and of the A.O.U.W. As an educationist Dr. Tilley has been progressive and successful and has shown a peculiar aptitude for the work. The schools under his charge, whether his connection with them has been that of head master or inspector, have invariably taken a high rank.

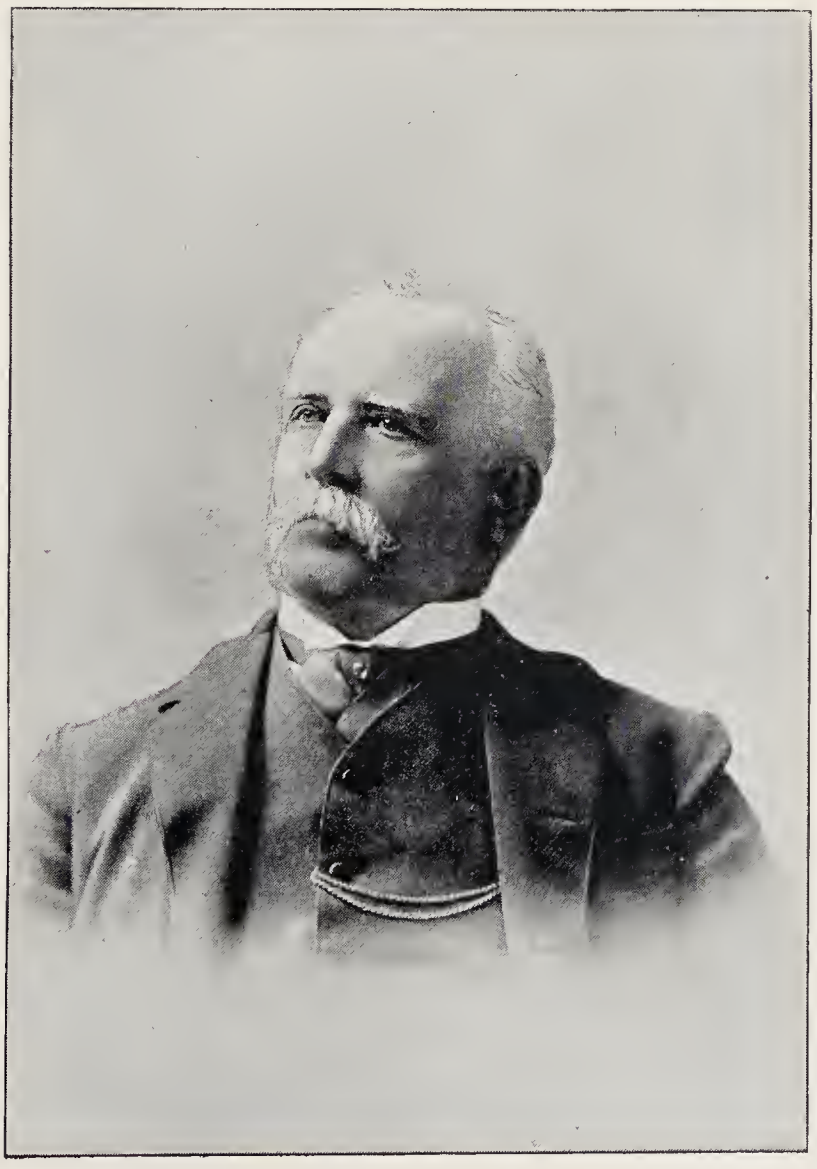
ADOLPHE G. TOURANGEAU, ex-mayor and ex-M.P., Quebec, Que., was born in that city, January 15th, 1831. He is a son of the late Jean G. Tourangeau, a J. P., notary public and an alderman in Quebec city. Mr. Tourangeau was educated at the Quebec Seminary and at the Quebec High School. He studied law under the Hon. Louis Panet and followed the law course of Laval University from its opening, in 1853, until he was admitted to practice in 1855. He was frequently elected to the Board of Notaries, and was appointed by the council notary for the corporation of Quebec. He held that position until he resigned, in 1883, to accept the postmastership of Quebec, offered to him. Mr. Tourangeau is Lieut.-Col. of militia. He has been mayor of the city several times. He was elected in 1870 and again in 1872 to represent Quebec East in the House of Commons, but was defeated by Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, in 1877, after a very hot and close contest. He was a member of the Quebec Harbor Commission; a director of the North Shore Railway; a director of the Gosford (afterwards the Lake St. John) Railway and a provisional director of the Stadacona Bank, the charter of which he procured through parliament. It was during his mayoralty and by his assistance that a regular steam ferry between Quebec and Lévis was established and the street railway and fire alarm telegraph were first operated in Quebec. During his regime the acts concerning the Quebec incorporation were amended and consolidated, the city debt consolidated, the fiscal year made to agree with house rents, and the city's finances placed on a sound basis. In politics he gave his support to the Liberal party until his fourth election as mayor in 1869, when he gave his confidence to the Conservative party. He is now (1892) apparently in the prime of life and bids fair to give many more years of valuable service to his native city. Mr. Tourangeau was married, in 1861, to Miss Victoria A., daughter of the late Augustus Jourdain, Esq.

STEPHEN GIBSON, barrister and county registrar, of the firm of Gibson and Clute, Napanee, Ont., was born in Cornwall, England, March 23rd, 1837, He is descended from a Scottish family of sterling character and marked ability, and looks back upon his ancestry for several generations, with pardonable pride. Mr. Gibson acquired a thorough knowledge of the common branches of education in the public schools in his native land, but not having access to advanced schools, he determined to educate himself. From his general reading, he acquired a desire to see and know something of the outside world, and in the Spring of 1858 came to Canada. He almost immediately located in Cobourg and made that place his home for a few years while looking around to determine his future course. During the summer he was engaged in the forwarding business, which gave him a large commercial acquaintance from Kingston to Chicago. He spent the winter months in preparing to enter Victoria University which he subsequently attended, and by forced work kept up the year's course during the winter session. In 1863 Mr. Gibson determined to study law, and passed the matriculation examination that year. After this, he served for one year in the office of Wm. Kerr, Q.C., in Cobourg, and spent the next four years in the law office of W. H. R. Allison, at Picton. He was admitted to practice in 1868, and called to the bar in 1869. He shortly after this located in Napanee and began practice for himself. He soon acquired an important connection, and has since continued to conduct a very large business and has become one of the best known legal men in this part of the province. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M. Masonic and Odd Fellows societies. In religion Mr. Gibson is a Methodist; in politics an active Liberal and president of the Reform Association. He was married in September 1870, to Miss Mary E. A., daughter of R. R. Clute, Esq., of Sterling, and sister of R. C. Clute, Q.C., Belleville, Ont.

THOMAS HULLS HUDSON, resident Canadian manager of the United Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., of Manchester, England, Montreal, Que., was born in London, England, November 3rd, 1854. He is a son of George R. Hudson, and was educated in London. He came to Canada in 1875, and entered the fire insurance business, and from the start exhibited an intense interest, and more than ordinary aptness in that line of work. He has had a large experience, and an efficient training in fire underwriting, and is one of the rising insurance men in the Dominion of Canada. The company of which he is manager has recently acquired, by purchase, the Canadian business of the City of London Insurance Company, thereby greatly adding to its already large established connection. The subscribed capital of the United Fire Insurance Company is $1,250,000, of which $500,000 is paid up. It has in addition to capital, cash on hand amounting to $782,500. The "United Fire" expects to not only take the place of the City of London, but to do an extended general business. Judging from Manager Hudson's past record, he will doubtless keep his company well in the foreground.

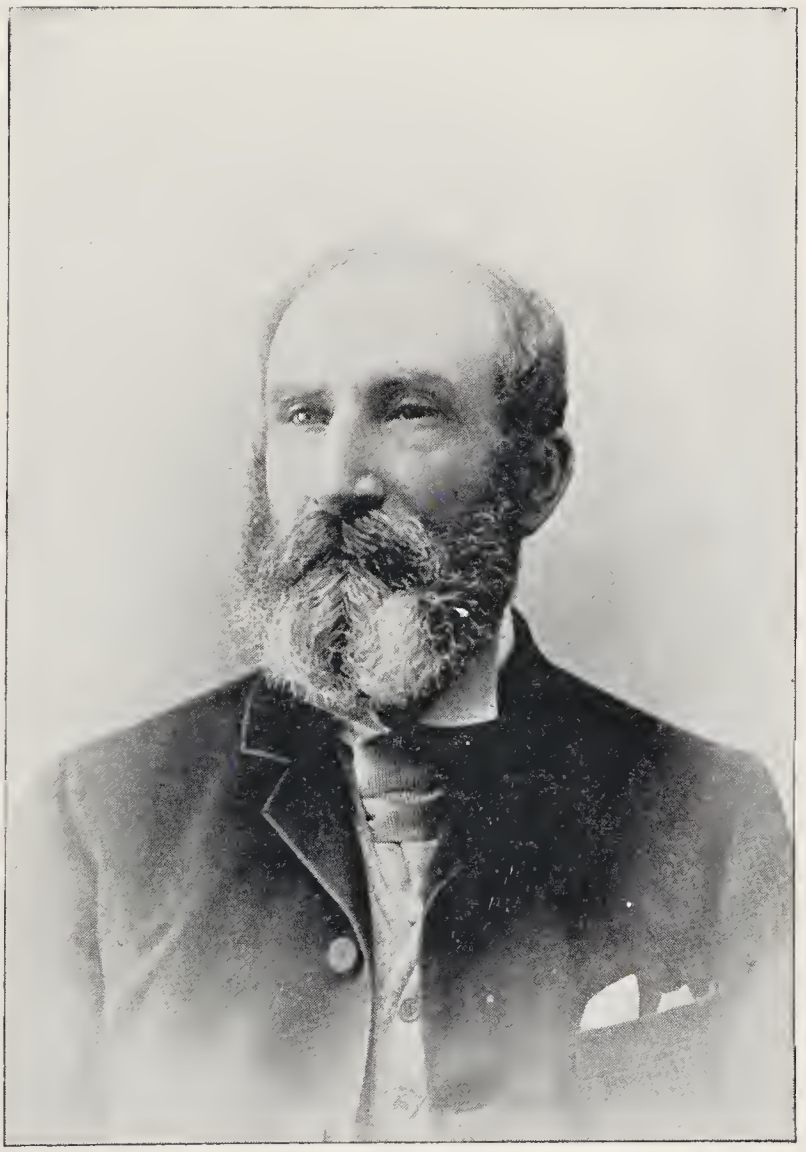
REV. CHAS. HENRY MARSH, rector of St. Paul's Church, Lindsay, Ont., was born at Holland Landing, Ontario, September 23rd, 1854. He is the son of William J. Marsh, the founder of Clarksburg, Ont., and for many years a justice of the peace. Mr. Marsh obtained his primary education at the public school at Clarksburg, from which he passed under the tuition of Rev. Wm. Logan at Millbank, Ont., for two years. He subsequently took a four years' course at Wycliffe College, graduating in 1881. His first charge was at Otonabee where he was curate for one year. He was next appointed to Rosemont where he was incumbent for nearly four years, after which he was curate at Orillia for one year. He was appointed to his present charge in October, 1887. His labors in Lindsay have been most successful and his ministry greatly appreciated by his people, whose interests he never fails to bear in mind. Mr. Marsh is a man of marked ability, great energy and of a very genial disposition, which causes him to be honored and beloved wherever known. He was married December 13th, 1887, to Miss E. C. Wilgress, daughter of George Wilgress, of Cobourg.

WILLIAM MACLEAN, manager of the Union Loan and Savings Company, Toronto, Ont., was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, in 1824, and came to this country in 1856. He received his education at the public and high schools in his native land. Between 1839 and 1844 he received his early business and professional training in a solicitor's office in Keith, an advocate's office in Aberdeen, and in Sir Archibald Alison's office, Glasgow. Prior to coming to Canada he filled several important positions in the head offices of the Aberdeen Railway during its construction. His three last years in Scotland were spent as general auditor and chief traffic accountant of the Great North of Scotland Railway Company. Mr. Maclean was sent out to this country by the London board of directors of the Buffalo and Lake Huron Railway, to fill the position of secretary and treasurer of that company, with headquarters at Brantford, Ontario. He filled this position until 1867 and greatly facilitated the amalgamation with the Grand Trunk Railway Co., which took place in that year. He was also a director of the B. & L. H. Ry. Co. and was mainly instrumental, with the late Hon. David Christie, Mr. Allan Cleghorn and the Hon. E. B. Wood, late chief justice of Manitoba, in securing for the B. & L. H., control of the International Bridge Charter, of which company he was a provisional director, and for some time prior, secretary and treasurer. Immediately after the amalgamation, Mr. Maclean removed to Toronto and accepted the management of the Union Loan and Savings Company, then in its infancy, which he has now successfully conducted for over a quarter of a century. He is among the best known authorities on matters of finance in the Dominion of Canada. Mr. and Mrs. Maclean are, in religion, Methodists, having connected themselves with that body, under the late J. B. Howard in Brantford in 1857. They have been connected with Elm Street and latterly Carleton Street since they located in Toronto in 1867.



JOHN U. GREGORY, agent of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, Quebec, Que., was born in Troy, New York State, U.S.A., in 1833. He is the third son of the late Dr. S. Gregory, whose ancestor was a retired British army officer. His mother was a French Canadian lady of a distinguished family. Mr. Gregory received his preliminary education in Poughkeepsie, N.Y., and when very young returned with his parents to Montreal where he continued his studies. He has been an officer of the Government since 1863. Upon the organization of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, after confederation, he was appointed head of the agency of Quebec, the most important branch of that department, and still occupies the position (1892), with a large increase in the duties, which has resulted from the success attending his nearly thirty years of service. He is a justice of the peace for the Province of Quebec, superintendent of Harbor Police, shipping master, and has been appointed by Government, on several occasions, commissioner to enquire into matters connected with wrecks and casualties at sea. Mr. Gregory declined to come forward as the independent candidate for parliamentary honors offered him by both sides in politics twice. He is well known in literary circles as an able contributor on various matters of public interest. Several of his articles were translated into French and published in book form. He is also a most acceptable lecturer, and a great treat and always a crowded house can be counted on when he is announced to lecture for the Literary and Historical Society. He has travelled extensively, and being a keen observer of passing events, is not only a ready speaker, but a most enjoyable conversationist. He is in religion a Roman Catholic. He has been married twice; first to Miss Marie Louise, youngest daughter of the late Martial Leprohon, and second to Miss Marie Louise Letitia, youngest daughter of the late John McCallum, Montreal, Que.

WILLIAM PATRICK INNES, Simcoe, Norfolk Co., Ontario, Canada, was born at Speyside, Inverdruie, Inverness Shire, Scotland, Nov. 6th, 1832. He is a son of Robert Innes, and a grandson of Alexander Innes, both of whom were accounted leading mechanical engineers in the north of Scotland. The subject of this sketch, after receiving the best education practicable in the part of the country in which he was born, went to Glasgow and accepted a position in the office of J. & P. Stewart, iron merchants and manufacturers, remaining with them for one year, when he removed to Dalkeith, near Edinburgh, and engaged with Mr. David Pursell as cashier, and afterwards became manager of the Elmfield Iron Works, which position he held for a number of years. Eventually, having resolved to come to Canada, he gave up his position in Dalkeith and left Scotland in August, 1857, and shortly afterwards landed in Quebec. For more than twenty-five years, prior to the establishment of his present business, he was engaged in various parts of the province of Ontario, in conducting important and successful business enterprises. In 1881, Mr. Innes, along with three other residents of Simcoe, started the business now known as the Simcoe Canning Co., which is one of the largest of its kind at present in the Dominion, and has branches at Hamilton and Cedar Springs. Goods with the Simcoe Canning Co.'s labels are well and favorably known all throughout the Dominion, and shipments are occasionally made to Great Britain and South America. Mr. Innes is now sole proprietor of the business, and employs a large number of operatives. He purchases locally and imports large quantities of fruits, etc. He has been a member of the Simcoe school board for a number of years, and takes an active interest in all enterprises for the good of the town. In politics he is a Conservative, and in religion a Presbyterian. He was married in 1868 to Marion, daughter of the late Reverend M. W. Livingstone, Simcoe.

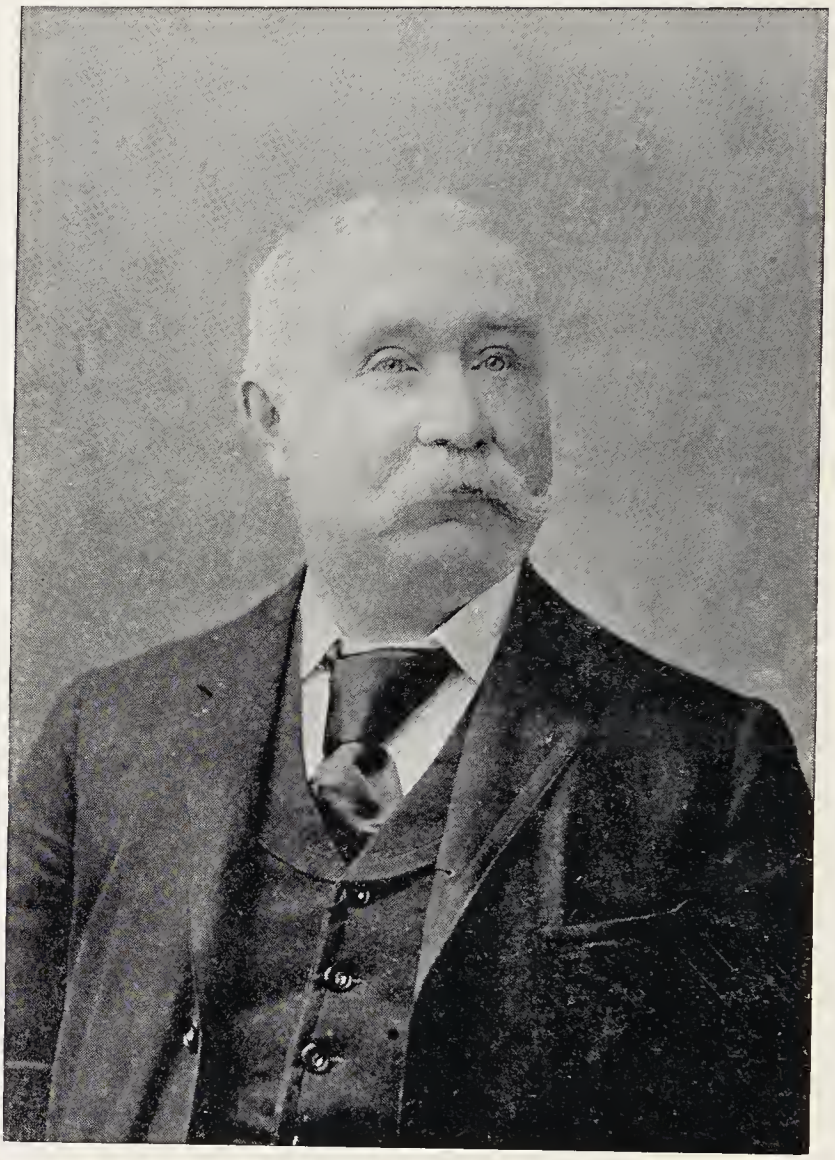


REV. FRANÇOIS NARCISSE FORTIER, president of Lévis College, actually professor of Dogmatic and Moral Theology in the same institution, was born July 31st, 1835, at Ste. Claire, county of Dorchester, P.Q. His father was Simon Fortier, farmer, and his mother, Louise Fournier. After a few years of private tuition at the hands of the late Right Reverend Jean Langevin, Bishop of Rimouski, then Parish Priest of Ste. Claire, he completed his full course of studies, classical and philosophical, in three years at the Seminary of Quebec, where he likewise received his theological training. He was ordained priest February 23rd, 1862. He performed the duties of his sacred ministry, first, during four years, as assistant priest at St. Joseph de Lévis, and afterwards, during seventeen years, as parish priest in the parish of St. François, on the Island of Orleans, two of the oldest Canadian parishes. He entered Lévis College in September 1882, as president, an office that he has held ever since, besides performing duty as director of the students and successively teaching intellectual and moral philosophy, natural philosophy, mathematics, astronomy, rhetoric and history. The actual president of Lévis College is a born pedagogue. The store of learning amassed by him during the many long hours daily saved from his laborious parochial ministration, and his deep experience of men and events, have providentially fitted him for his present office as a trainer and instructor of youth. Rising at all seasons at half-past three, and retiring at half-past nine, his mathematically regulated and well filled day, leaves him but little time for "idle words." A rigid observer of discipline for himself, he enforces it in others with a firm, though fatherly hand, while his love of work always apportions to him the lion's share in the distribution of educational labor. Faithful to principles of truth and order that can never change, he is nevertheless an ardent lover and promoter of progress. He is respected and beloved by both teachers and students.

JAMES KENDREY, managing-director of the Auburn Woollen Company, Peterborough, Ont., was born in Oshawa, Ontario, March 29th, 1845. After finishing his education at the public schools, Mr. Kendrey served his apprenticeship with his father in the Toronto Woollen Mills at Streetsville, Ont., remaining there until seventeen years of age, when he left Streetsville and spent some time in various parts of Ontario and the United States, finally returning to Peterborough in 1866. He subsequently held positions in several of the leading woollen mills in this country, and in July 1879 became manager of the Auburn Woollen Mills, Peterborough, and one year later obtained an interest in the business. Under his able management the business has steadily increased and is now known as one of the best equipped woollen mills in Canada. Mr. Kendrey has had a full share of municipal honors and has ably represented his fellow-citizens in the offices to which they elected him. He was for many years a member of the town council and was elected mayor in 1892. In religion he is a Methodist; in politics a Conservative. He also belongs to the A. F. & A.M., C.O.F., and S.O.E., Societies.

SIMON NAPOLEON PARENT, advocate and M.P.P., Quebec, Que., was born in Beauport, P. Q., September 12th, 1855. He is the son of Paul Parent, at one time a prosperous merchant at Beauport, but now deceased. Mr. Parent finished his education at Laval University, where he took the degree L.L.L. In 1881, he obtained the Governor-General's gold medal, and also took the first prize (given by Hon. Justice Tessier), for best examination in law. He is now well established in his profession, and is a prominent figure in legal circles. He is a member of the St. Jean-Baptiste and C. M. B. A. societies, and is past president and present chancellor of the latter order. Mr. Parent was elected to the city council for 1890, re-elected for 1891, and became pro-mayor in 1892. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. He was first elected to the Legislature in June, 1890, by 327 of a majority over Mr. Routhier the Labor and Conservative candidate, and was re-elected by acclamation in March, 1892, for St. Sauveur Division, city of Quebec. He is now very largely identified with public affairs. Mr. Parent was married Oct. 17th, 1877, to Miss Clara Gendron, of Beauport, Que.

ELI JAMES BARRICK, M. D., M.R.C.S., England, L.R.C.P., London, L.R.C.P., and S. Edinburgh, Toronto, Ont., was born in Welland County, Ontario, Dec. 28th, 1838. Dr. Barrick is descended on the maternal side from Jacob Ott, a U. E. Loyalist, who came to this country from the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of the last century. He began his education at the common school, and in 1856 entered the Normal school, which he attended for two sessions. During 1858 he taught in the township of Humberstone and spent the following year in the Normal school, Toronto. In 1860 he was one of five who received the highest certificates granted, and the same year began teaching in the county of Wellington, where he remained three and a half years, and then entered Rolph's Medical school, Toronto. Dr. Barrick obtained his M.D. from the University of Victoria College. After graduating he spent some time in the hospitals and dispensaries of New York, and then went to London, England, and resumed his studies in St. Thomas' Hospital there. While in the Old land he passed successfully, examinations before the Royal College of Physicians and the Royal College of Surgeons, in both London and Edinburgh. He returned to Canada in 1867, and in October of the same year, entered the Rolph school as demonstrator of Anatomy, and was afterwards appointed Professor of Midwifery and diseases of women and children, which position he held until the dissolution of the school in 1874. Since then the doctor has given more attention to his practice, which has grown to large proportions. For the past three years he has been examiner in Midwifery and Gynacology in Victoria University, and Treasurer of the Ontario Medical Association. He is in religion a Methodist, and a trustee of the Metropolitan Church, Toronto. He has been a total abstainer from boyhood. The doctor is, in politics, a Liberal Conservative. He was married April 28th, 1870, to Miss Kate Heal Newcombe, of Toronto. Ont.

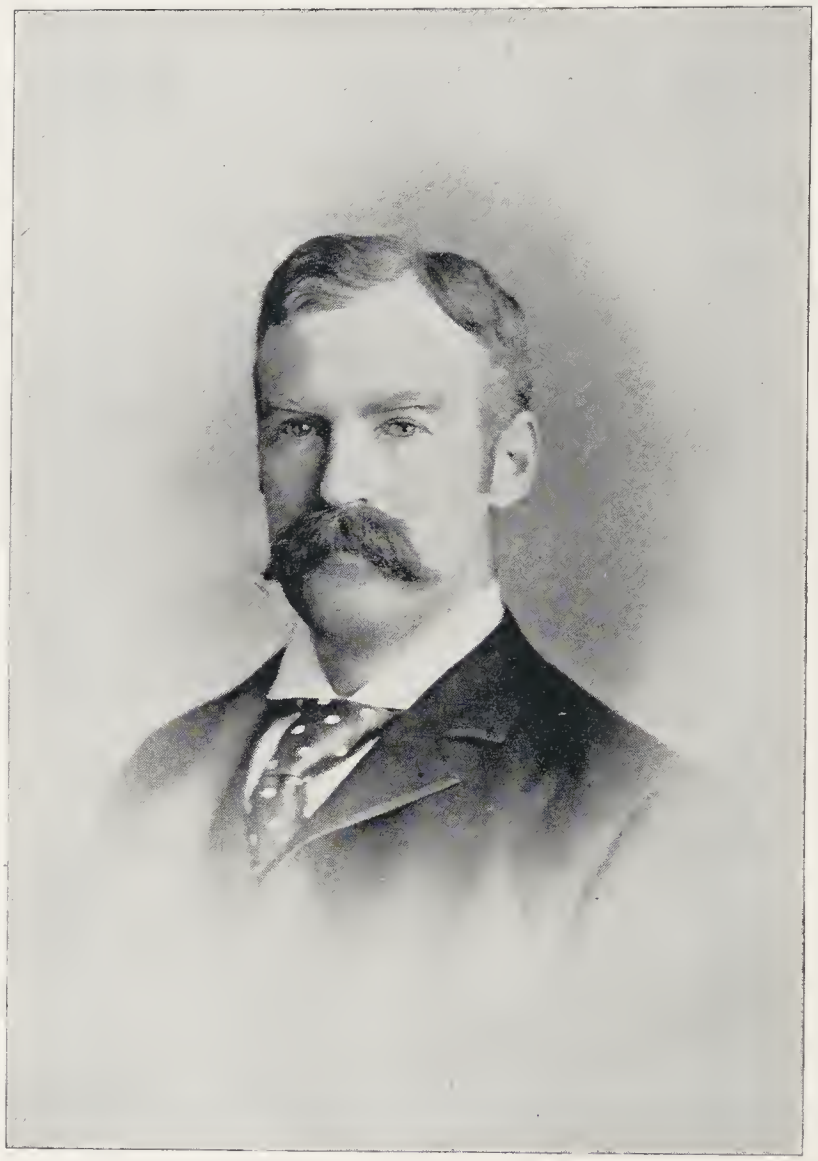


HENRY NEWCOMBE, of the firm of Newcombe & Co., and brother of Octavius Newcombe, whose portrait appears on the opposite page, piano manufacturer, Toronto, Ont., was born in Devonshire, England, in 1831. He was educated at Shebbear College. At the age of sixteen he chose a business calling rather than a professional career, and entered the house of W. L. Vellacott, of Bideford, the largest dry goods establishment in that part of the country. After remaining with this firm several years, he went to London during the exhibition of 1851 and shortly afterwards sailed for Australia, and there secured a good position with the wealthy Scotch firm of McCallum of Geelong, which he retained until his return to England on the death of his father. After spending two years in winding up his father's estate, he, with the other members of his family, sailed for Canada in 1857, and was engaged in the retail and wholesale dry goods trade up to the time of joining his brother Octavius Newcombe in the pianoforte business in 1879. In this position his natural energy of character, industry, application and large commercial knowledge found full scope and he has helped to build up one of the most successful manufacturing enterprises of its kind in the Dominion. The excellence of the instruments, manufactured by Messrs. Newcombe & Co., has been endorsed by a number of first prizes in Canada, by national awards abroad, and confirmed by the recommendation and patronage of the public. The demand for their goods has so increased that the firm have been stimulated to make their factory a model in the perfection of its arrangements and adaptation of modern appliances, so that it is quite on a par with the most complete factories in the United States, both in capacity and in the quality of its products. The Newcombe brothers are gentlemen of generous dispositions, considerate and honorable in their relations with others, and in every way admirably adapted to conduct their large and influential business.

OCTAVIUS NEWCOMBE, piano manufacturer, Toronto, Ont., was born in Hankford-Barton, Devonshire, England, November 19th, 1846. When eight years of age, he began his primary education at Shebbear private school. Owing to the death of his father occurring two years later, he came to this country and located in Toronto, where he attended the Model and Grammar schools, taking first prize in mathematics and English at the latter. Owing to his brother, Dr. James Newcombe, being professor of surgery in Victoria College, he attended that institution during two winter sessions, although his preference was for commerce rather than a profession. He spent the intervening summer at Washington, accepting the position of corresponding clerk to the surgeon in charge of the Lincoln Hospital. He subsequently entered the military school, Toronto, and was one of four, out of fourteen candidates, who were successful in getting certificates. He afterwards joined the staff of the Quebec Bank and in a couple of years was appointed accountant at Toronto. Later on he occupied the same position in Ottawa, the most important branch of the bank. After five years of banking experience, he accepted a more lucrative position with Alex. Fraser, of Westmeath, one of the largest lumber merchants on the Ottawa, and subsequently had a partnership offered him with the financial management of a pianoforte business being established in Toronto, which was entered upon in 1871. In the course of time this business developed into two separate and independent firms, Mr. Newcombe being joined by his brother Henry, who devoted their joint energies to building up one of the largest piano manufactories established in the Dominion. Mr. Newcombe has visited all the important centres in the Dominion, United States, Great Britain and Europe, and from his financial and practical ability, musical taste and capacity for organization, an extensive trade and a splendid reputation has been acquired for the Newcombe pianos.

THE LATE RODERICK S. ROBLIN, barrister, Picton, Ont., was born in Prince Edward County. He was a son of John P. Roblin, Esq., who was a representative in the Upper Canada Parliament for sixteen years. His paternal and maternal ancestors, were both of U. E. Loyalist stock and served their Queen and country with true loyal devotion. Mr. Roblin obtained a thoroughly practical education in the county schools and at Victoria College. He began the study of law in Picton, Ont., and finished his course with the firm of Patterson & Beatty of Toronto, and was called to the Bar in 1871. His legal career, though short, was eminently successful. The extent of his continually increasing practice gave evidence of his business ability and application to the interests of his profession. As a public speaker, his reputation was more than local, and the different organizations of his native county felt sure that their interests would be satisfactorily advanced when placed in his hands. He was for many years manager and Sec.-Treas. of the Agricultural Association, and during this time the affairs of the association flourished as never before. His political sympathies were strong and always Liberal in the truest sense of the term. In religion, while kindly sympathizing with all bodies of Christians, he was an ardent Methodist. From a child he loved the services and ordainances of that church, and faithfully performed all the duties that fell to his share. He was married in 1870 to Miss Jennie, youngest daughter of the late Rev. C. R. Allison, who with one daughter, Eva N. Roblin, of the Toronto Conservatory of Music, survive him. In February, 1882, business called him to Manitoba, where the intense severity of the climate brought on inflammatory rheumatism, from which he died in Brandon two months later, aged 41 years, 5 months. His remains were brought to Picton and with Masonic honors, laid to rest in peaceful Glenwood Cemetery, accompanied by sorrowful regrets of hundreds of sympathising friends.

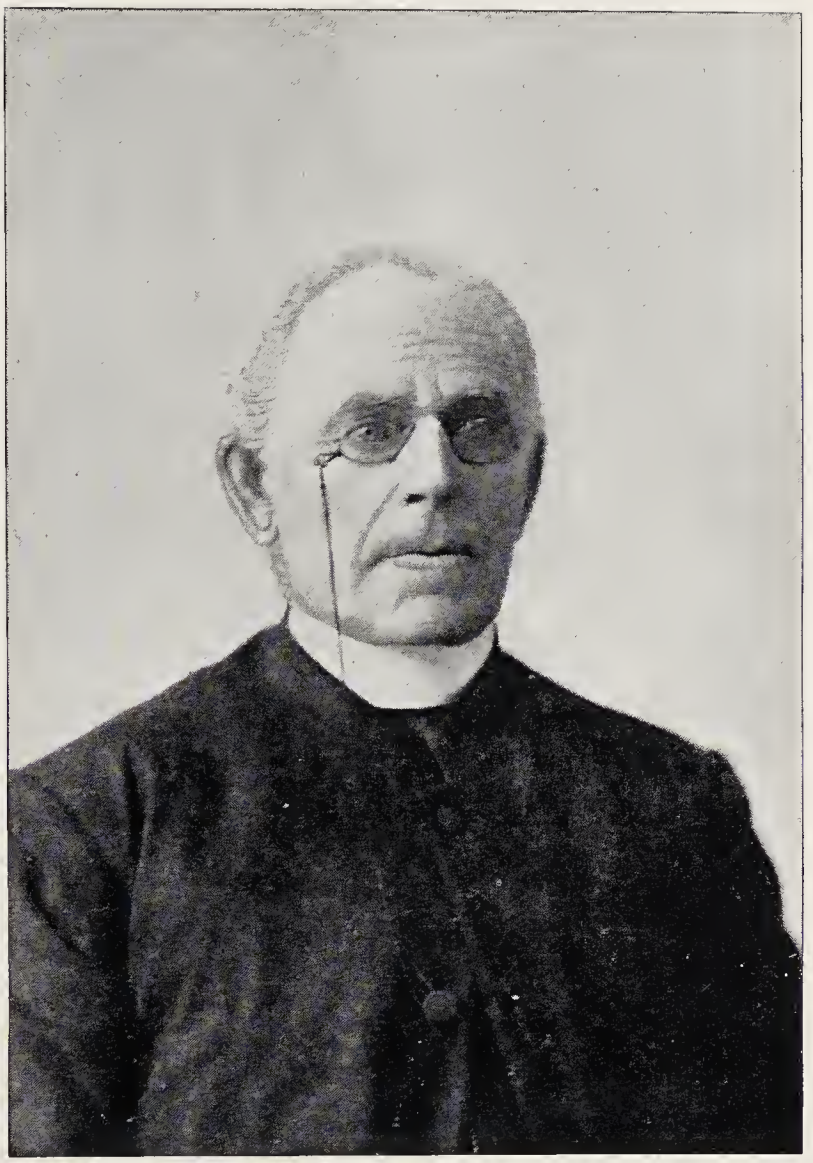
FRANK CARREL, proprietor and managing editor of the *Quebec Daily Telegraph* and *Saturday Budget*, was born in Quebec city, Sept. 7th, 1870. He is the son of James Carrel who was a descendant of General Armaugh Carrel, of Paris, and who established the *Budget* in 1870, and the *Daily Telegraph* in 1874. Mr. Carrel was educated at Stanstead Wesleyan College, and in early life engaged in the newspaper business. He began at the lowest position on the *Telegraph* and worked up until he filled the editorial chair, which was made vacant on the death of his father, in 1891. He is now, probably, the youngest journalist in Canada, and under his able management both the *Telegraph* and *Budget* have made rapid progress and have secured a place of influence in the minds of the people living within the area covered by their circulation. Geo. P. Rowell & Co., of New York, in their new book for advertisers, name the best, most widely circulated and most influential papers at each important centre of population. For Quebec, the paper given this distinction is the *Daily Telegraph*. Mr. Carrel is a member of the Irish National League and the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec.



WM. HODGINS BIGGAR, M.P.P., of the firm of Bell & Biggar, barristers, Belleville, Ont., was born near the head of the Bay of Quinte in 1852. He is a son of the late James L. Biggar, for many years M.P. for East Northumberland. His mother was a sister of Thos. Hodgins, formerly M.P.P. for West Elgin, and of Dr. J. G. Hodgins, late Deputy Minister of Education for Ontario. Mr. W. H. Biggar began his studies at the Trenton Grammar School, and in 1868 entered Upper Canada College, of which school he was head boy in 1872. Immediately after this, he engaged in mercantile life, which he abandoned in 1875 for the legal profession, studying in the offices of Bethune, Osler & Moss. Mr. Biggar's law course was most creditable as he stood first in every examination except that of barrister. Mr. Biggar belongs to the I.O.O.F. and Masonic Societies. He was returned M.P.P. for West Hastings in 1890; was mayor of Belleville in 1887; for some years an officer in Q.O.R.; president of the L. O. Yt. racing Assoc., the Bowling Assoc. of Ont., and the Belleville Curling Club; commodore of Bay of Quinte Yacht Club. He is in politics a Liberal.

DOCTOR ORONHYATEKHA, of Toronto, Ontario, Supreme Chief Ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, was born on the Indian Reservation, near Brantford, 10th of August, 1841. His education was begun in the New England Company's Indian School, near his birthplace, and continued afterwards at the Wesleyan Academy, Wilbraham, Mass., Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio, Toronto University, and at Oxford, Eng. When the Prince of Wales visited Canada, in 1860, Oronhyatekha was selected by the chiefs to present an address to the son of their "Great Mother." The impression made on the Royal party was so favorable, that the young Mohawk Indian was invited to continue his studies at Oxford University, which was done under the guardianship of Sir Henry Acland, Bart., Regius, professor of medicine in that ancient university. Dr. Oronhyatekha began his profession in Frankford, Ontario, afterwards settling in London, where he enjoyed a large practice. His devotion to the Independent Order of Foresters, and the ever increasing demands made on his time by its rapid growth, compelled him in 1888, to abandon the active duties of his profession, and to devote his whole time to that great order. During the eleven years in which he has been Supreme Chief, he has seen it grow from infancy to its present magnificent proportions of over 40,000 members, with a cash surplus in its treasury of nearly half a million dollars, after having paid about a million in benefits. He has been for thirty-five years a Good Templar. At the last session of the Supreme Body of that organization, held in Edinburgh, Scotland, he was made the head of the order, by being elected Right Worthy Grand Templar. Dr. Oronhyatekha married Miss Hill, a great grand daughter of the celebrated Mohawk chief, captain Joseph Brant. They have two children surviving. The son, doctor Acland Oronhyatekha, who has recently graduated, is named after his father's old friend and guardian, Sir Henry Acland.

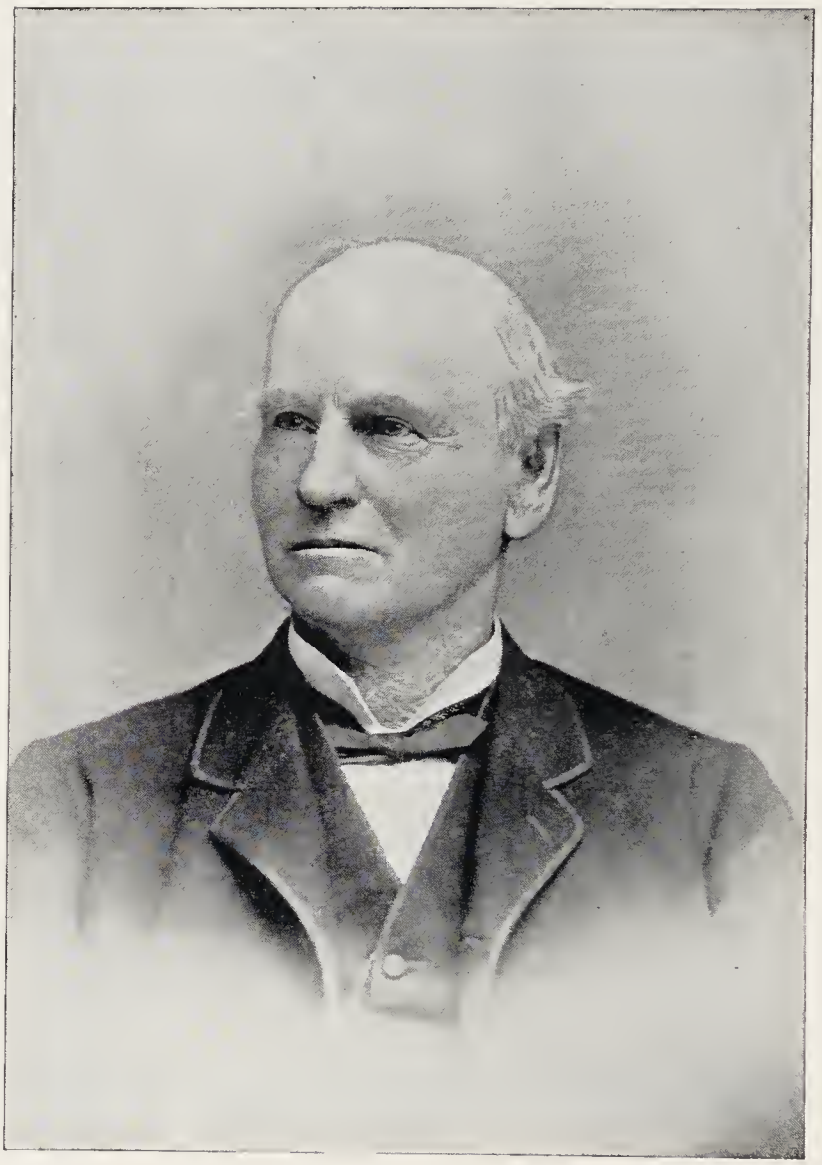
WILLIAM BENJAMIN DUCK, M.D., Preston, Ont., was born in Morpeth, Ont., Sept. 4th, 1857. His parents were Isaac and Grace (Webb) Duck, who came from Wiltshire, England, and settled in Morpeth, Kent Co., Ont. Dr. Duck was educated at the public schools of Morpeth, Dundas Collegiate Institute, and the Normal School, Toronto, and then took his medical education at Trinity College, Toronto, graduating in 1879. He received the M.B. degree with honors, having taken the highest percentage of marks at the final examinations, which placed him on the honor list. At the annual convocation of Trinity Medical College, he received the fellowship degree and was admitted as a "Fellow" of that institution, taking the only certificate of honor granted by Trinity School for 1879, and also the degree of M.D. from Trinity University, and having passed the third and final examination without an oral before the council, was admitted as a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. In 1886, he took a post graduate course in Europe, visiting the hospitals of London, Paris, Edinburgh, Dublin, Marseilles and Lyons, France, spending considerable time at St. Thomas' Hospital, London. He commenced practice in Preston immediately after graduating, and has since remained in that place. The doctor is regarded as one of the most skillful physicians in Ontario, and his career has been marked by greater opportunity and progress than falls to most men. He has been chairman of the Board of Education for two years, was three years captain of No. 4 Company, 79th Battalion, is vice-president of the Liberal Conservative Association of Waterloo South, and has been offered, recently, a professorship in a California College, his reputation having spread so far south. Is physician to the Oddfellows, Workmen, I.O.F. and Royal Arcanum orders. He is also the health officer for the municipality and medical adviser for the celebrated mineral baths of Preston. In religion he is an adherent of the Church of England.



REV. MICHAEL LYNCH, retired Parish Priest, Port Hope, was born in Cavan county, Ireland, in 1827. His parents were Michael and Mary (Smith) Lynch. He began his education at Ste. Thérèse, where he continued for four years. He then went to Ottawa and remained there until he completed his studies. Shortly after this, Father Lynch was ordained at Ottawa by Bishop Guigues, and received as his first appointment the Island of Allumettes, where he spent two years as curate with the late Rev. James Lynch. His first parish was that of Killey, in Leeds county, joining Smith's Falls, where he remained six years. From there he went to East Peterboro, and afterwards to Cornwall where he labored five years. He then returned to Peterboro and remained until the arrival of Bishop Francis Janiot, D.D., when he retired. During his stay in Peterboro, Father Lynch built Notre Dame Convent and two schools and paid for them. He assumed the entire work of that very large parish, and was not only a faithful and industrious priest, but greatly beloved by his people. He takes no part in politics, preferring to maintain a strictly neutral attitude.

REV. FRANCIS HONORÉ BÉLANGER, curé of the parish of St. Roch, Quebec, Que., was born in Montreal, April 26th, 1850. He is the son of Francis and Elmire (Chalut) Bélanger. After Mr. Bélanger had completed a course of study in classics and theology at the Seminary of Quebec, he determined to enter holy orders, and was ordained priest in May, 1876. His first appointment was that of vicar at the Basilica, Quebec city, which he held for nine and a half years. In October, 1885, he was given charge of the important parish of St. Roch, succeeding the Rev. Mr. Gosselin and the Rev. Mr. Charest. The memory of the latter will long survive on account of the signal services which he rendered to his flock during the disastrous conflicts and riots which have so often visited Quebec. On such occasions his voice and presence quelled the most turbulent, as if by magic. Mr. Bélanger has been eminently successful in his work. He built the St. Roch school for boys, costing $65,000, and a convent for girls, costing $19,000. He also laid out and beautified the St. Roch Parish Cemetery, which is one of the most attractive burial grounds in Canada.

JAS. THOMPSON BELL, Sc. D., Clerk of Hastings county, Belleville, Ont., was born at Newcastle on Tyne, Eng., January 8th, 1811. He is the son of captain William Bell, who commanded the transport "Cambo," during Sir David Baird's expedition to Corunna. Dr. Bell commenced his studies in the old land, by attending the Royal Grammar school at Newcastle. From 1827 to 1830, he was engaged with a landed proprietor in the double capacity of tutor to the family and student of agriculture. In the latter year, he returned to Newcastle, and entered upon the study of natural history, which he pursued for many years. In 1851, he came to America, and shortly after arriving, had the misfortune to lose his wife, whose death left him with seven children. He then returned to England, where he remarried, and in 1859, again came to Canada and settled in Belleville, his present home. Dr. Bell is one of the best known and most highly respected men in Hastings county, and has given much valuable aid to the cause of science and education. In acknowledgment of his public services, he was, at the instance of the Hastings County Council, appointed professor of Mines and Agriculture at Albert College, Belleville, from which he received the degree Doctor of Science, in 1884. He has done considerable literary work of a high order, having been a correspondent of the *Victoria Institute of Great Britain*, the *Newcastle Chronicle*, *Monetary Times*, *Edinburgh Scotsman*, and editor of the *Belleville Independent* for some years. In religion the doctor was brought up in the doctrine and discipline of the Church of England, to which communion he still adheres. In politics, a staunch adherent to Conservative principles. He was married thrice; first, in 1834, to Miss Isabella Smith, daughter of Geo. Smith, Esq., of Berwick, England; second, in 1856, to Miss Margt. Hattle, also of Berwick; and third, in 1873, to Miss Sarah Boulter, daughter of the late Nathl. Boulter, Esq., of Montreal. The last named Mrs. Bell, died in 1885.



JOHN BELL, Q. C., Belleville, Ontario, general solicitor of the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, was born in 1823, in Strabane county, Tyrone, Ireland. He is the son of Robert Bell, who emigrated to New York where he was engaged as a cotton manufacturer until 1833 when he moved with his family to Canada. In 1843 Mr. Bell became a pupil at Victoria College, then under the direction of the late Dr. Ryerson. At the end of one year, owing to failure of his health, he left college. In December, 1844, he entered the law office of George B. Lyon, in Bytown, now Ottawa. The following year he removed to Toronto and completed his articles in the office of Crawford and Hagarty, of that city, of which firm the present Chief Justice of Ontario was then a member. In 1849, he was admitted as an attorney and solicitor, and immediately after, entered into partnership with the late Hon. John Ross, under the name of Ross & Bell. In the early part of 1851, Mr. Bell was called to the Bar where he has achieved rare success. In October, 1852, he was, on the organization of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, appointed its solicitor. In 1850 he was appointed to succeed his friend, Mr. Ross, as solicitor of the Bank of Montreal, also of Hastings county, and on the incorporation of the Merchants Bank, he became its solicitor also. All these positions he still holds. Mr. Bell was elected a bencher at the first election of the Law Society, and also at each subsequent election. He is still a member of Convocation, and was made Queen's Counsel in 1866. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, in politics a Liberal. He never, although often solicited, was a candidate for any political office. He was a strong supporter of the late Hon. Robert Baldwin, who was his warm personal friend. Mr. Bell was married, in 1853, to Miss Helen M. Turnbull, daughter of the late John Turnbull, of Belleville. She died in 1879. In 1884 he married Miss Caroline Stewart, daughter of the late Dr. Stewart, also of Belleville, Ont.

ISIDORE NOEL BELLEAU, Q.C., mayor of Lévis, Quebec, was born in Deschambault, province of Quebec, March 7th, 1848. He is a son of Isidore and Marie D. (Pagé) Belleau, both natives of the aforesaid province. Mr. Belleau was educated at the Seminary of Quebec, and at Laval University, graduating LL.B. from the latter institution. He was admitted to the Bar in 1871, and in the same year established the *Echo de Lévis*, weekly newspaper (Conservative), which was published for four or five years. As an advocate, Mr. Belleau is well and favorably known, and the firm of which he is the head, has a large and important legal connection. His able and intelligent grasp of public affairs brought him before the electors, and in 1874, he contested Portneuf county against Dr. De St. George. In 1878, he was defeated in the local general elections by Hon. F. Langelier. He was again defeated for Lévis by Hon. E. T. Paquet in 1881, but was elected for the same county to succeed the late Hon. J. G. Blanchet in 1883, and again defeated in 1884 and 1887, in Bellechasse. He was married to Marie-Louise, daughter of J. B. Raymond, Esq., advocate of Lévis, Quebec.

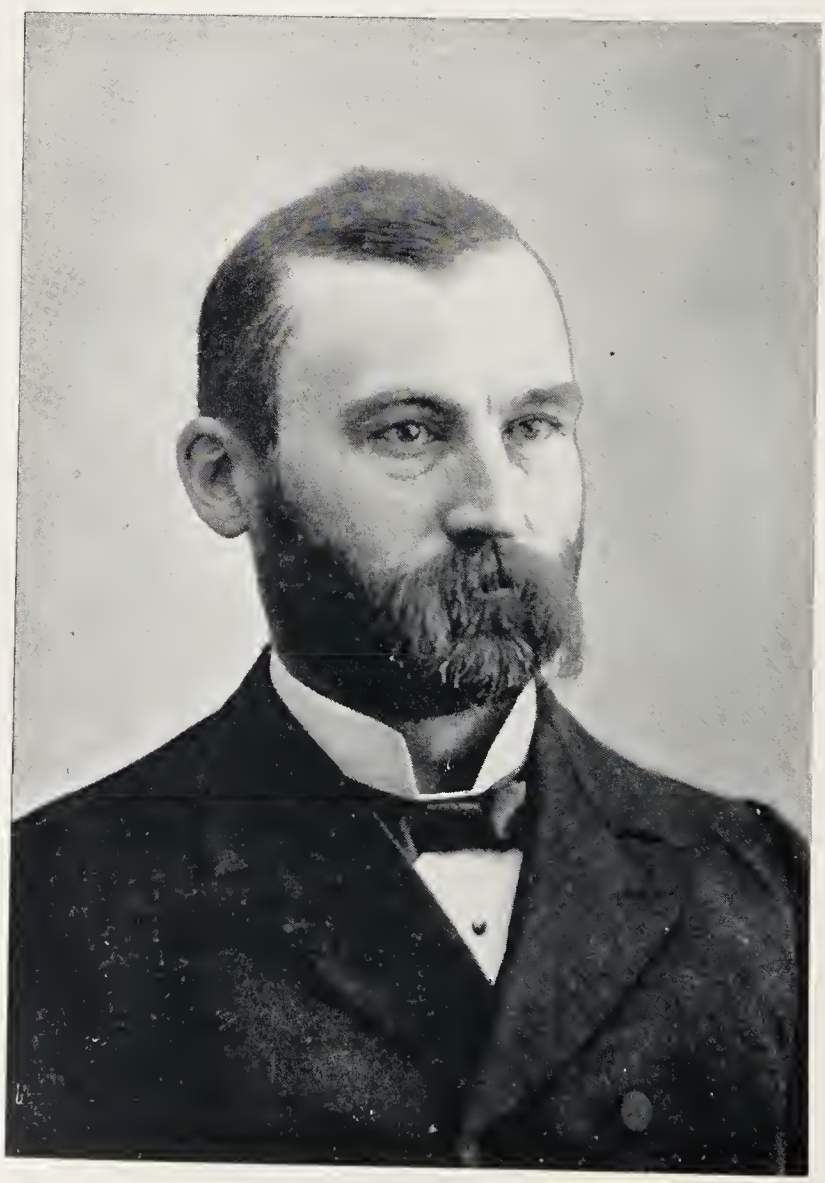
ALLEN RUTTAN, M.D. and C., Napanee, Ont., was born in Adolphustown, county of Lennox, in January, 1826. He is the son of Peter W. Ruttan of U. E. Loyalist descent, and Colonel of Militia in the war of 1812. Dr. Ruttan began his studies at the High School, in Picton, Prince Edward county, and afterwards attended McGill College, Montreal, where he graduated in 1852 with honors. He began practice at Newburgh, and subsequently located in Napanee, where he now continues (1892) the oldest practitioner in that part of the country, and holds that position in the community to which his life long devotion and skill entitle him. He is physician to the Grand Trunk Railway Co., examiner for the I.O.O.F., and surgeon for the Kingston, Napanee and Western Railway, and a member of the Council of Physicians and Surgeons for Ontario. Dr. Ruttan is also a member of the Masonic order. He has always taken an interest in educational and municipal matters. In religion, he is a churchman and a church warden, and also delegate to the Synod. The doctor was married in 1854, to Miss Caroline, daughter of the late Wm. Smith, Esq., of Montreal.

THOMAS HY. SPEIGHT, manufacturer, Markham, Ont., was born in that town August 25th, 1864. He is the son of the late Thomas Speight; was educated at the Public and High schools, Markham, and at the age of seventeen, decided upon following the waggon manufacturing, for which the name of Speight has been famous since 1830. On the completion of his term of apprenticeship in the mechanical department, he entered the general business department, and in 1886, was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Speight Manufacturing Co. (Ltd). He held this position until 1889, when he and his uncle, Thomas Heys, analytical chemist, Toronto, bought out the company, and have since conducted the business under the registered name of "The Speight Waggon Co." This firm, which has one of the largest waggon manufactories in Canada, make all their supplies from the raw material, having a saw mill and foundry on the premises, and has the honor of being the oldest established manufactory in its line in the Dominion. Its methods are progressive and its output steadily increasing. Mr. Speight is in religion a Methodist, and holds the office of Trustee. In politics he is a Conservative.

V. WINCESLAS LA RUE, notary public, and president of the Board of Notaries, Quebec, Que., was born in St. Pierre de la Rivière du Sud, county of Montmagny, October 3rd, 1851. He is a son of the late Vildebon La Rue and Euphémie Bossé, both of St. Pierre de la Rivière du Sud. Mr. La Rue, snr., was also a notary public. Our subject was educated at Ste. Anne de la Pocatière College, and took his legal course at Laval University. He was admitted as notary public in Quebec city, May 8th, 1873, where his office has remained since that date. Mr. La Rue has been a member of tke Board of Notaries since 1878, and was elected president in 1891. He belongs to the Liberal Conservative party, and has always been an active supporter of that side of politics, except in 1882, when the sale of the North Shore Railway took place. He is an excellent business man, and has an extensive clientage in the notarial line, and being yet on the sunny side of life, bids fair to leave a marked impress on the city in which he lives. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic. Mr. La Rue was married January 8th, 1876, to Miss Josephine Richard, of Quebec city. His family consists of seven children.

JABEZ CYRUS VANSTONE, proprietor of the Bowmanville and Tyrone Roller Flouring Mills, was born in the county of Durham, September 28th, 1853. He is the son of Samuel Vanstone, late proprietor of the Tyrone mills, who came to this country from Devonshire, England, when a young man, and settled in Durham county, where he was very successful in business, and now lives a retired life at Bowmanville. Mr. J. C. Vanstone began his education at the public schools of Tyrone and Hampton, and continued it at the Bowmanville Grammar school. He spent a short time in the dry goods business, but as it was not to his liking, he abandoned it and entered his father's mill in 1870. In 1878, he bought the business from his father and continued it on his own account. In June, 1886, he bought the Bowmanville Stone Flouring Mill from Captain Raynes, and immediately changed it to a seventy-five barrel per day roller mill, which in October of the same year, was completely equipped and running full capacity. After this, his trade increased so rapidly, that in 1891, he was obliged to enlarge his mill to the capacity of one hundred and fifty barrels per day, and he has now one of the largest trades in the Dominion of Canada. His success is a remarkable distinction in this age of keen competition and improved facilities in the production of flour, and his present extensive business is the outcome of a steady growth, every year having shown some increase. Mr. Vanstone is thoroughly practical in his business, and so reliable and honorable in his dealings, that he is one of the most favorably known millers in the Dominion. In religion, he is a member of the Methodist church, and a Trustee of that body for the town of Bowmanville, where he resides. In politics he is a Liberal. He is also a member of the A.O.U.W. society. He was married June 26th, 1877, to Miss Selina J. Cole, daughter of Matthew Cole, Esq., a prosperous farmer and carriage builder of the county of Durham, Ont.

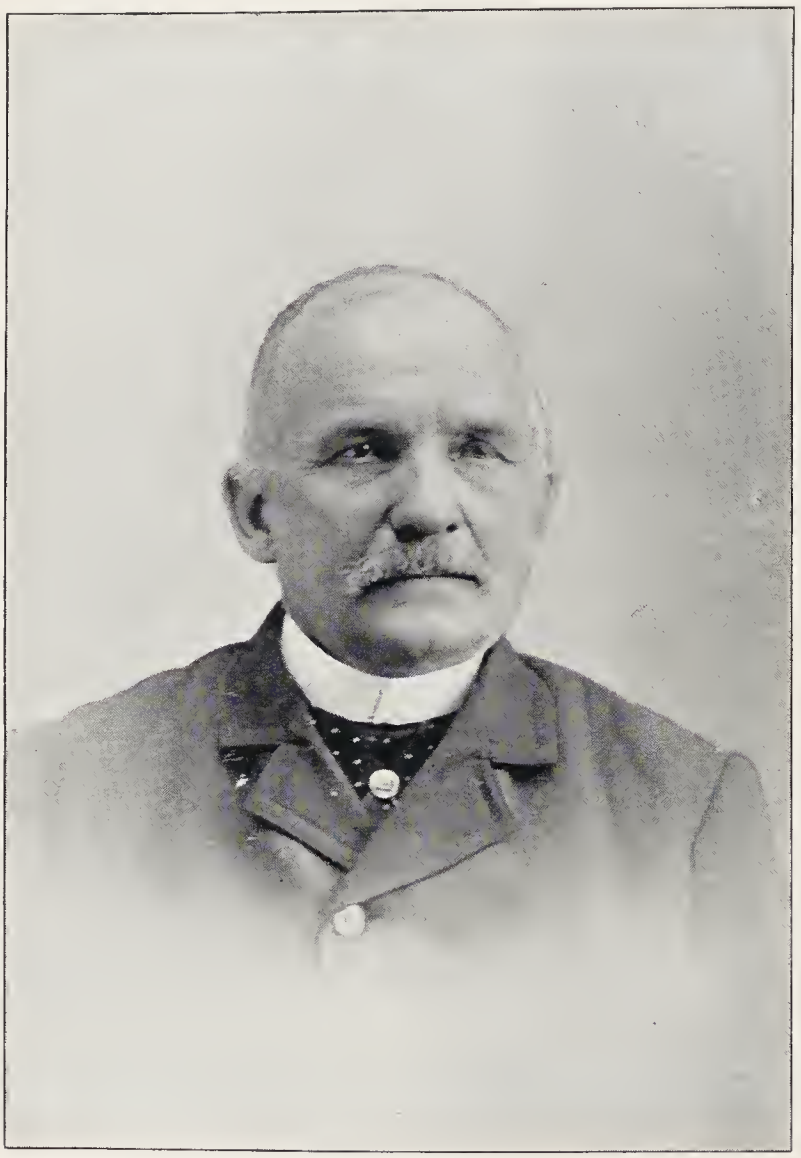
REV. J. J. HARE, Ph. D., Principal and Governor of Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, was born in the township of Nepean, Ont., October 3rd, 1847. His father was born in Ireland, but was of English descent. His mother was a Canadian. Dr. Hare displayed in earliest childhood, a great fondness for study, and the rapidity of his progress all through his career, has been decidedly phenomenal. At the age of twelve years, he took a second class teachers' certificate, matriculated into Victoria University three years later; took a first-class teachers' certificate, and began to teach at the age of seventeen years; taught for two years, and entered the Methodist ministry at the age of nineteen, when although comparatively speaking a boy, he was appointed to an important station in the town of Chatham, where he served the church with pleasure and profit to all concerned. His next station was Smith's Falls, where he spent two years, at the expiration of which time he returned to Victoria University and graduated in 1873, winning four first prizes, about all that came in his course. On leaving college, he was ordained and appointed assistant pastor in the largest church in London, Ont. In 1874, the Ontario Ladies' College at Whitby, was inaugurated by Lord Dufferin, and Dr. Hare was appointed the first principal. Five years later, he was made governor, both of which offices he still holds. The marked growth and success of this now well-known institution, are the outcome of the educational and administrative ability of its principal and governor, who possesses those qualities of heart and mind which command success. The Ontario Ladies' College, at Whitby, is unsurpassed on this continent, and the wholesome and thorough training given to its pupils is well known throughout Canada, and the United States also. The college has certainly a most brilliant future before it. Dr. Hare was married, in 1874, to Miss K. McDowell, daughter of Rev. D. C. McDowell, and granddaughter of the late memorable Elder Metcalf.



REV. CHARLES HOBEN DAY, B.A., M.A., Quebec, Que., was born in St. John, N. B., December 22nd, 1865. He is the son of the Rev. Geo. E. Day, D.D., M.D., a native of New Brunswick, who is still living. Mr. Day began his education at the public and high schools of Yarmouth, N.S. He subsequently attended Acadia College, from which he graduated in 1886. He then entered Brown University at Providence, Rhode Island, graduating therefrom in 1888, after which he studied one and one-half years at Newton Centre Theological Seminary, and one year at the University of Berlin, Germany. He spent the year 1887 in teaching Mathematics at Horton Collegiate School. At the expiration of his studies, he had fully decided to engage in ministerial work. He was ordained in the city of Quebec, in March, 1892, and appointed to a responsible charge in that city. The church and his friends are very hopeful of his success and usefulness, as he is a brilliant scholar, an effective preacher and a consecrated minister of the Gospel. Mr. Day was married June 19th, 1890, to Miss Carrie, daughter of Mr. Joseph H. Cook, Ex-M.P.P., of Queen's county, N.S.

RIGHT REV. RICHARD ALPHONSUS O'CONNOR, D.D., Bishop of Peterborough, Ont., was born in Listowel, county Kerry, Ireland, April 15th, 1838. Bishop O'Connor came to Canada with his parents in 1841, and settled in Toronto. He received his early education in the Toronto separate schools, and in 1852, entered St. Michael's College in that city. In 1859, he entered the Grand Seminary of St. Sulpice, Montreal, to complete his theological course. He was ordained priest August 2nd, 1861, in St. Michael's Cathedral, Toronto, by Archbishop Lynch. His first charge after ordination was as assistant priest at Toronto Gore, and in January, 1862, he was appointed pastor of that mission. In December, 1865, he was transferred to Niagara Falls mission, and in September, 1868, he was entrusted with the parish of South Adjala, Ont. In October, 1870, he was made Dean of Barrie, where he remained for over eighteen years, taking a leading position in educational matters. He was consecrated Bishop in St. Peter's Cathedral, Peterborough, May 1st, 1889. Bishop O'Connor is eminently successful in his new diocese, and is greatly beloved by his people.

JEAN-BAPTISTE LALIBERTÉ, fur merchant, St. Rochs, Quebec, Que., was born in that city in 1843. His father was the son of one of the largest tanners located in the province in his day. Mr. Laliberté received a sound commercial education at the Quebec Normal School, and after leaving that institution was apprenticed to a furrier. This business proved to be in keeping with his taste, and he soon acquired a thorough knowledge of it, and laid the foundation of a successful business career. In 1867 he began in a small way on his own account, and by being obliging and strictly attentive in keeping the latest styles of goods in stock, his customers rapidly increased. At the end of five years he had accumulated sufficient to enable him to rebuild on a much larger scale. After the lapse of a few more years his quarters again became too small, and he erected the handsome building on St. Joseph street, St. Rochs, covering an area of 110 x 45 feet, which he at present occupies (1892). Mr. Laliberté has made it a rule to purchase in the best markets of the world, and offers for sale only such articles, as by their excellent quality and workmanship defy the keenest competition. He visits not only the fur markets of New York, London, Paris, Leipzic, but of late years has also visited the great fur emporiums of Russia every year, and is the first furrier in the Province of Quebec who has done this. He has branch offices in the principal cities of Europe, from which he is weekly advised as to prices, styles, etc. He employs over 300 persons, many of whom are occupied in trapping and hunting in our northern forests. He is both an importer and an exporter, and when a choice set of furs is wanted, even for the West, the St. Rochs Fur Emporium is generally called on to supply the demand. Mr. Laliberté is a very desirable man to meet in the way of trade. He is noted for his courteous demeanor to his fellow men, and in short is a fair representation of the progressive French Canadian.



JOHN MOTZ, editor *Berliner Journal*, and co-publisher of Berlin, Ontario, was born June 5th, 1830, at Diedorf, Germany. His parents were John and Margaret (Schroeder) Motz. Our subject received his elementary education at the schools of Diedorf. He came to Canada in 1848, and settled in the county of Waterloo, where he worked several years for farmers, and also as a tailor, until he saved money enough to enable him to finish his education at the Grammar School, Berlin. In 1859 he started the *Berliner Journal* in partnership with Frederick Rittinger. The paper was originally four pages, but some ten years ago it was enlarged to eight pages. It has now, and always had, the largest circulation of any German paper in the Dominion. Besides the *Journal*, the *Canada Calendar*, a German almanac for Canada, has been published for the last twenty-six years, in this office, where also all kinds of German and English book and job printing is being done. Mr. Motz has held a number of prominent public positions in Waterloo county. He was separate school trustee for sixteen years. In 1870 he was elected Deputy Reeve, which office he held five years; in 1878 he was elected councillor, and in 1880, mayor, filling that position for one year and a half. He has been a member of the Public Library Board for five years past, and is a member of the High School Board. In politics he is a Reformer, and is strongly in favor of the free trade policy, but has too much faith in the future of Canada to wish annexation, firmly believing that this country will one day be one of the leading nations of the world. He is strongly attached to the Fatherland, but a loyal British subject and well satisfied with the home of his adoption in the land of the maple leaf. In religion he is a Roman Catholic, and a member of the Church Council. Mr. Motz was married February 17th, 1868, to Helene, daughter of Peter Vogt, of Berlin. His family consists of two daughters and one son.

REV. SALEM GOLDWORTH BLAND, B.A., Methodist minister, Quebec, Que., was born in Lachute, county of Argenteuil, Que., August 26th, 1859. He is the son of Henry F. and Emma Bland, of Addingham, Yorkshire, England. The former was a noted lay preacher in the West Riding of York, who came to Canada and entered the ministry of the Methodist Church in 1858. He was president of the Montreal Conference in 1881. Mr. Bland received the rudiments of his education at a private school in Montreal. He subsequently attended the High Schools of Dundas, Kingston, Belleville, and Morrin College, Quebec, and graduated from McGill College in 1877. He was converted in the great Quebec revival of 1875, which was conducted by Y.M.C.A. men. Entering the Methodist Ministry in 1880, he was ordained at Brockville in 1884, and has been stationed at Cataraqui, Farmersville, Williamsville, Kingston, Perth and Quebec, in all of which places he has been successful and has endeared himself to the people. Mr. Bland is an active worker in the temperance cause and belongs to the Good Templars, and Royal Templars of Temperance.

HENRY BETTS TAYLOR, B.A., coal merchant, Whitby, Ontario, was born in Ontario county, September, 25th, 1841. His education was begun at the Pickering Public School, continued at Whitby Grammar School, and completed at Toronto University, where he graduated B.A. in 1865. He began business life as accountant for E. Niall, of Oshawa. Later on he became manager of the Dominion Bank, and filled that office for eighteen years, when he retired from banking, and embarked in the coal trade, and has built up a large business in that line. Mr. Taylor is a member of the I.O.O.F., C.H.C. and A.O.U.W. societies. He is past grand master of the Ontario jurisdiction of A.O.U.W., also member of the finance committee of the order, and occupies the same position in the Supreme Lodge of the United States. He is a member of the Toronto Board of Trade, and has been secretary-treasurer of the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby, for the past ten years. In religion he is a member of the Church of England. In politics a prominent and active Reformer. Mr. Taylor was married to Miss Sarah Browne in 1867. Mrs. Taylor died June 24th, 1891.

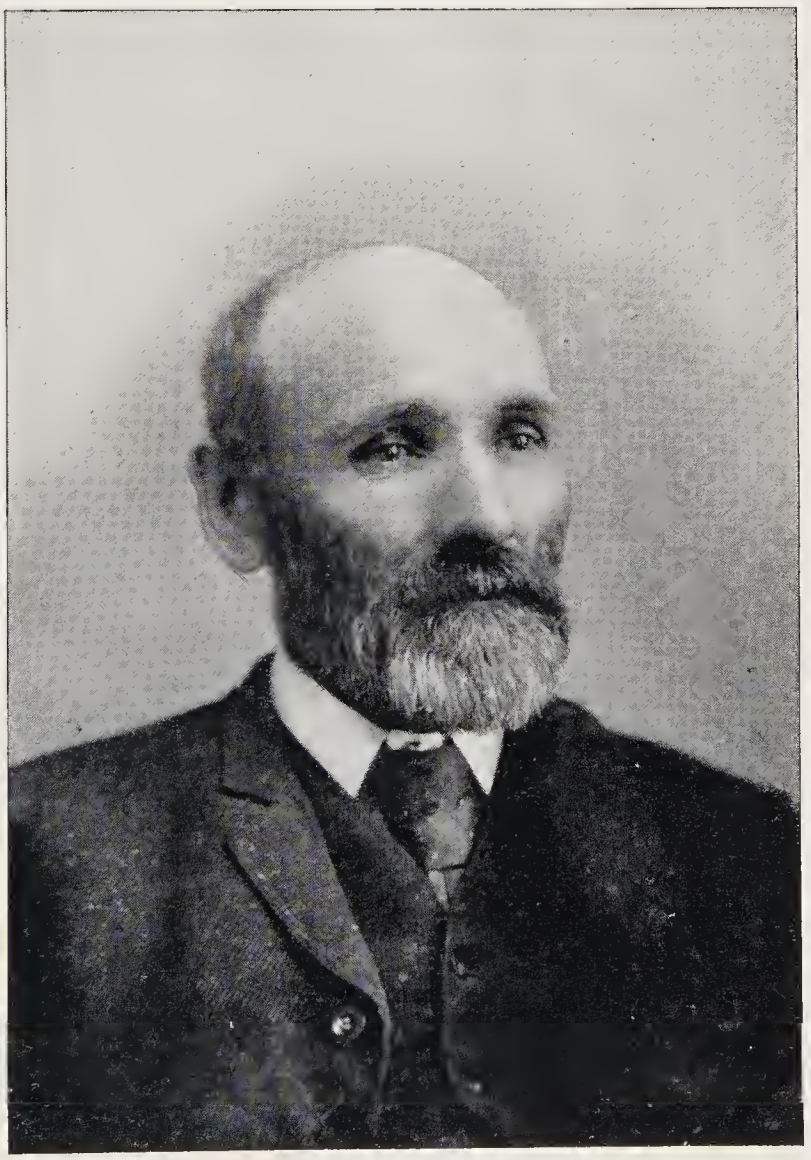
REV. ALB. JOHN McKEON, M.A., B.D., S.T.L., pastor of All Saints Church, Strathroy, Ont., was born in Chatham, Ont., January 24th, 1856. His parents were Peter and Mary (Hickey) McKeon, who were born in Ireland and came to Canada in 1835, and settled on a farm, near Chatham. Our subject began his education at the separate school, near Chatham. In September, 1868, he entered the Christian Brothers' College, Buffalo, N. Y., where he remained four years, and entered the Sandwich College, Ontario, in October, 1872. He attended this college for five years, completing his course there in 1877. He then attended the Laval University, Montreal, where, in June, 1878, he took the degree of M.A., followed in June, 1879, by B.D. and in November of the same year by S.T.L. Father McKeon was the first native Canadian to win the latter degree from Laval University. In March, 1880, he was called to London by Archbishop Walsh for ordination, which ceremony was performed about one month later. He preached his first sermon on the evening of his ordination, in St. Paul's Cathedral, and although then quite young he made his mark as a pulpit orator. In April, 1880, Father McKeon was appointed assistant pastor of LaSalette, Ont., where he remained until November of 1881. He was then sent to Park Hill, during the illness of Father Corcoran, and remained in charge until June, 1882. He was then appointed to relieve Father Ferron at All Saints Church, Strathroy. In August of the same year he took charge of the Catholic Church at St. Thomas, for a few months, after which he was assigned to Bothwell, where he remained until translated to his present charge at Strathroy, in February, 1889. Father McKeon is a brilliant scholar, a high class orator and a captivating preacher. In any of his 1,600 sermons and addresses, he has never found it necessary to mention the name of any denomination other than his own, believing that building up his own good work is more important than pulling down that of others.

EDWARD LANGLEY BOND, was born in Montreal, Que., in 1850, and is the youngest son of the Right Rev. W. B. Bond, Lord Bishop of Montreal, whose name is familiar throughout Canada, in connection with business and social matters. Mr. Bond is the chief agent in Canada for the British and Foreign Marine, and Reliance Marine Insurance Companies of Liverpool, agent for the Province of Quebec for the Norwich and London Accident Insurance Company of England, the Lloyd's Plate Glass Insurance Company of New York, and local agent of the fire branch of the London Assurance Corporation, of England. He is also a member of the Board of Trade and Corn Exchange, and treasurer of the Montreal Board of Marine Underwriters. He has been closely connected with the military history of Canada for over twenty-five years, and was one of the first High School boys to join the Cadet corps organized by the late Major Barnjum, in 1863, which furnished a large number of officers to the Militia, between the troubles of 1866 and 1870. He was captain of No. 2. Company of the cadets, when he joined the Prince of Wales regiment as ensign, in 1866, in order to take part in the defence of the Huntingdon border against the Fenians. He was also in command of No. 6 Company of the same regiment at St. Armand and Pigeon Hill, in 1870, and was appointed major of the Prince of Wales Rifles in 1873, and served until 1884, when he resigned, but on the regiment being called out for active service in the North West, in 1885, he was offered, and accepted the post of adjutant and second in command, and after the rebellion was checked, resigned finally. Major Bond was one of the leaders of the "Equal Rights" movement in 1890, and is vice-president of the Dominion Alliance, for the suppression of the liquor traffic, and president of the Citizens League of Montreal, for the purpose of enforcing law, particularly that governing the sale of liquor. He was married, in 1872, to Kate, daughter of Charles Whitlaw, of Paris, Ont.

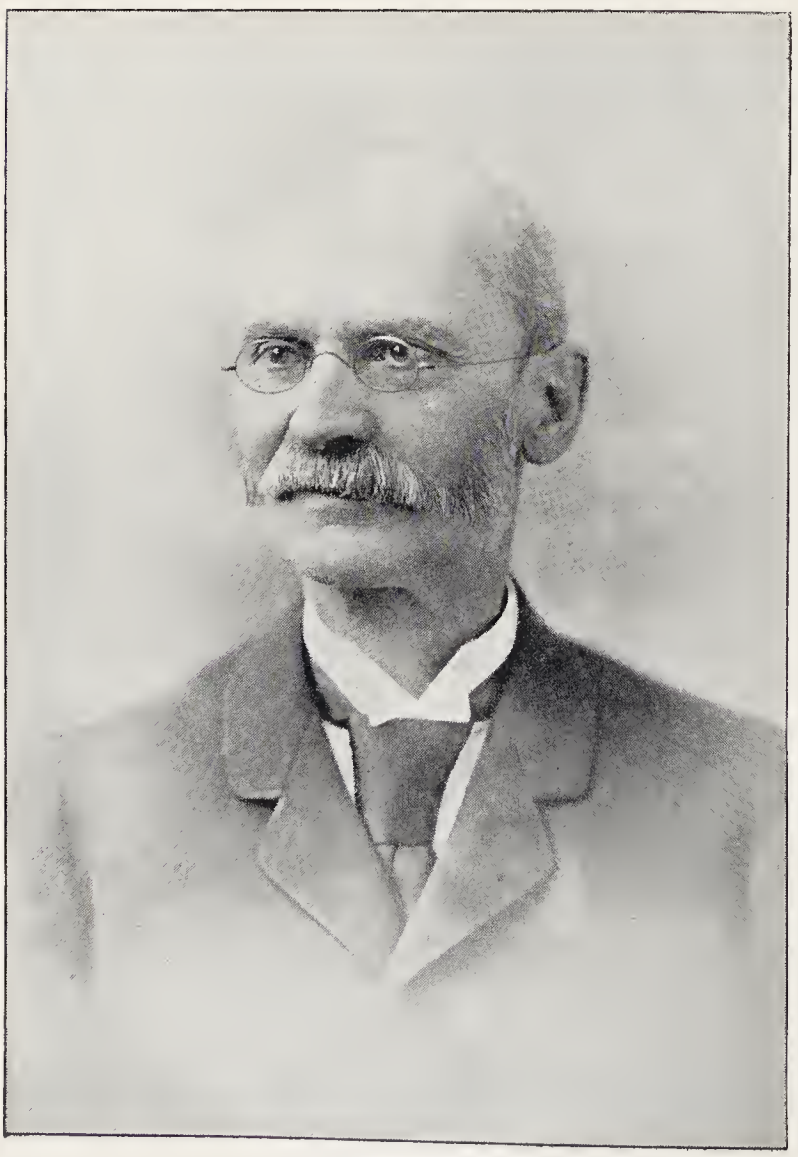
EDWARD CORNELIUS STANBURY HUYCKE, B.A., LL.B., barrister and solicitor, Cobourg, Ont., was born in the Township of Percy, Northumberland county, in the year 1860. Mr. Huycke began his education at the Public and High schools of Campbellford, from which he passed to Victoria University, Cobourg, taking the degree of B.A. in 1883. He then taught classics in Cobourg Collegiate Institute, and subsequently studied law with William Kerr, Q.C., of Cobourg, and also with the firm of Smith, Smith & Rae, of Toronto. In 1886 he opened practice in Cobourg, and took the degree of LL.B., the same year. He is now well established in his profession and has a rapidly increasing clientage. He is a lecturer in jurisprudence and political economy, in Victoria University. Mr. Huycke is a member of the Methodist Church, and active in religious work. In politics a Liberal, chairman of the Reform party in Cobourg, and energetic in campaign work. He is a forcible speaker and does valuable work during election campaigns. He was married, in 1887, to Rose Meredith, youngest daughter of J. C. Field, Ex. M.P.P., of Cobourg.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL LEON P. VOHL, fire commissioner and chief of police, Quebec, Que., was born in that city, in February, 1835. His father was Benjamin Vohl, a noted German optician, the first to set up business in that line in the city of Quebec. Col. Vohl was educated at the Seminary of Quebec and at Thom's Academy. During the gold fever of 1852, he went to Australia and on his return four years later, accepted an office in the Court House, where he remained until 1875, when he was appointed fire commissioner by the Provincial Government. In 1880 he accepted the position of chief of municipal police in addition to that of fire commissioner. In this double capacity the colonel is a most valuable man to the city, as his long experience enables him to be thoroughly master of the situation. He holds the rank of lieutenant-colonel, having served nineteen years as an officer in the active militia. He was sent to the frontier as captain in 1865, during the period of St. Alban's raid. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He has been married twice; first, in 1857, to Miss Marie A. Robitaille, and second, in 1870, to Miss Josephine Desnoyers. His family consists of five children.

ROBERT McLAUGHLIN, of the McLaughlin Carriage Company, Oshawa, Ont., was born in Durham county, Ont., November 9th, 1836. His parents were John and Eliza (Rusk) McLaughlin. He was educated at the public schools, and at an early age began life at farm work which he continued until he was twenty-five years of age. He then resolved to abandon farming in favor of carriage making, and, in 1861, decided to build a small shop on his own farm. Five years later he sold his farm and removed to the village of Enniskillen, where he resumed carriage making, and in a few years the place became too small for his rapidly increasing business. In 1878 he removed to the town of Oshawa and built a factory on Simcoe street where he did a thriving retail trade for three years. After this his work became so well known that he was obliged to operate on a still larger scale, and gradually drifted into a wholesale business, and, in 1889, purchased the large factory formerly owned by the Oshawa Cabinet Company and associated with him two other gentlemen forming the present well known company. Mr. McLaughlin is the owner of several valuable patents, the most important of them is the celebrated "McLaughlin Buggy Gear," now so popular with the trade. The success of the extensive business now carried on by this company is largely due to the enterprise and ability of the head of the firm who will not allow any goods to leave the works which are not fully up to the mark. He takes an active interest in municipal affairs and has been a member of the town council for several years. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., R. T. of T. and H. C. societies. In religion he is a member of the Presbyterian Church. In politics a Reformer who is not afraid of competition from manufacturers south of the Boundary Line, and believes in gradual tariff reform, looking toward free trade. Mr. McLaughlin was married twice, first, in 1864, to Miss Smith, of Whitby, and again, in 1878, to Miss Parr, of Brantford, Ontario.



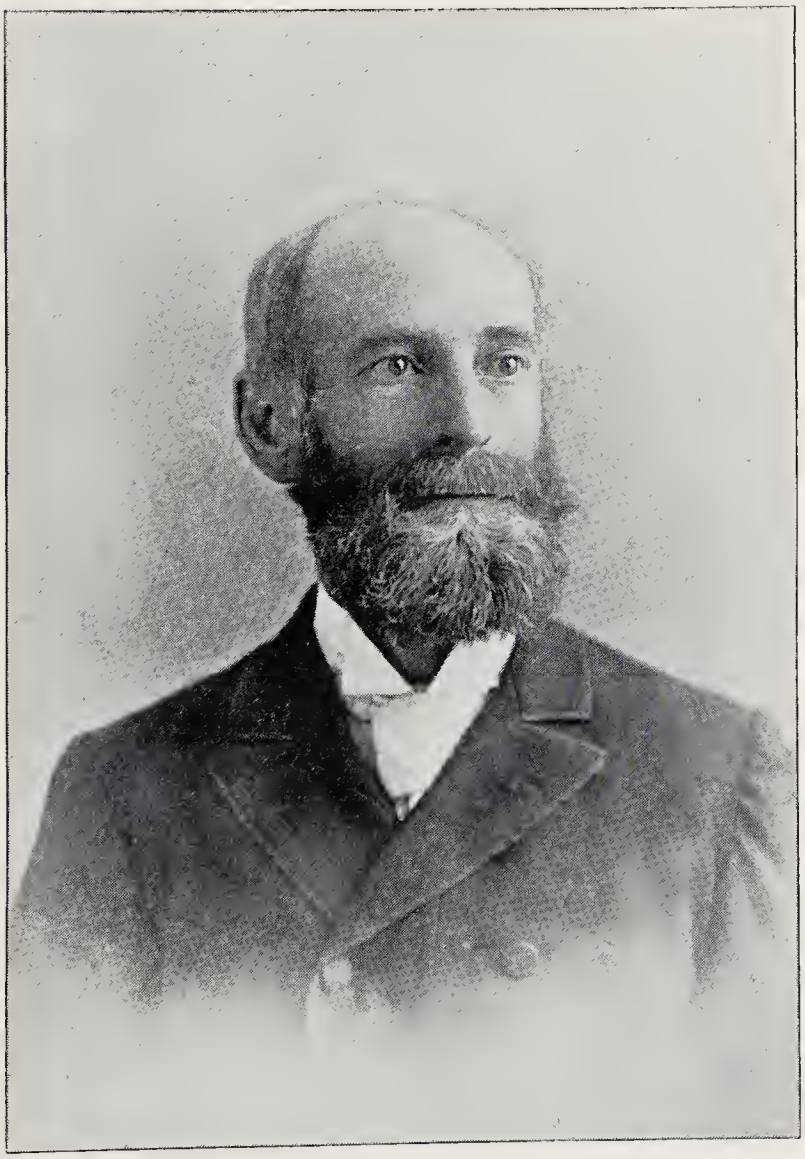
LEONARD OVIDE HÉTU, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in Lavaltrie, Berthier county, Que., August 16th, 1834. His father, Joseph Hétu, died in 1892, at the advanced age of 88 years. Mr. Hétu was educated at L'Assomption, district of Joliette, and after terminating the regular course of study in 1853, entered on a three years' theological course, first in the Seminary of St. Sulpice, Montreal, and later in L'Assomption College, where he became professor and had the honor of having the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier for one of his pupils. In 1856, Mr. Hétu abandoned his theological course and began to study law under the late F. X. Lafond, notary, of Berthier, and later on, under the late T. Doucet, of Montreal. After following a regular course of law in St. Mary's College, Montreal, he obtained his diploma and was admitted to the notarial profession in October, 1859, after which he opened an office in Montreal, where he has since remained. In 1874, he entered into partnership with L. N. Dumouchel, and continued with him until 1888, when the firm was dissolved, Mr. Hétu forming a partnership with his son, an amateur musician, and a young man of high culture and standing. He is a member of the Board of Notaries for the Province of Quebec since 1885, justice of the peace, commissioner for the erection of civil parishes in the archdiocese of Montreal, and president of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Montreal. Mr. Hétu is administrator of very large and important estates, and the notary of several public institutions and corporations, notably the Roman Catholic Archepiscopal Corporation of Montreal, the Rev. Jesuit Fathers, the Sisters of Providence and the Sisters of the Good Shepherd. Although a sincere Conservative, he never took an active interest in politics. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and a man of sterling integrity. Mr. Hétu was married May 7th, 1861, to Marie Louise Euphrosine Martin, eldest daughter of the late Simon Martin, of Montreal.



HENRY ABBOTT, B.C.L., Q.C., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born there October 5th, 1857. He is a son of Sir John Caldwell Abbott, and Mary M. Bethune, daughter of the late Rev. John Bethune, Dean of Montreal. Mr. Abbott was educated at the High School and St. John's School, Montreal, Bishop College School, Lennoxville, Que., and Trinity College School, Port Hope, Ont. He obtained his B.C.L., at McGill University, March 30th, 1878, was admitted to the Bar, January 11th, 1879, and made Q.C., February 18th, 1887. Mr. Abbott was appointed professor of Commercial Law in McGill University in 1890, and has often appeared before the Supreme Court of Canada, and the Privy Council in England. He has also taken an interest in military matters, having served in the Victoria Rifles from 1878 to 1884; was 2nd lieutenant in 1880, 1st lieutenant in 1881, captain in 1883; he left the regiment in 1884, but rejoined as 2nd. lieutenant on the outbreak of the Riel rebellion, 1885. In religion Mr. Abbott is an Episcopalian. In politics a Conservative. He was married May 17th, 1882, to Jane Ratcliffe Liddell, who died in 1883.

WILLIAM ROAF CLIMIE, editor and proprietor of the Bowmanville *Sun*, was born in Simcoe county, January 28th, 1839, and has resided in Bowmanville forty-eight years. His father was the late Rev. John Climie, Congregational minister, a pioneer in the Temperance movement and an advocate of the separation of church and state. Mr. Climie was educated at the public schools, and when fifteen years of age, entered the printing business. In 1860 he became proprietor of the *Canadian Statesman*, which he published until 1878. In 1884, he established the Bowmanville *Sun*. From 1876 to 1890 he was secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Press Association. He is, in religion, a Congregationalist; for thirty years leader of the choir; trustee of church property and senior member of the board of deacons. He is a life-long teetotaller and thorough prohibitionist. In politics he is an active Reformer and secretary of the West Durham Reform Association for thirty years. He is the only surviving member of the deputation who induced the Hon. Edward Blake to enter public life. Mr. Climie was married March 1st, 1864, to Miss Elizabeth Sanderson of Colborne, Ont.

CHARLES CUSHING, B. C. L., N.P., Montreal, Que., was born at Cushing, in the county of Argenteuil, Quebec, in 1848. His father, Lemuel Cushing, merchant and warden of the county, armed a company of volunteers for the defence of the British Flag during the Canadian Rebellion of 1837. Mr. Cushing was educated at the Montreal High School, from which he graduated as an Associate in Arts, and entered the Law Course of McGill University, taking the degree of B.C.L. in 1869, and graduating from the Military School the same year. He subsequently indentured with Gibb & Hunter, the oldest English notarial house in Montreal, entered the firm in 1871, and succeeding to the business, associated with himself Robert A. Dunton, B. C. L., N.P. The Cushing family has always occupied an honorable position, and probably no other has, in the United States, furnished more judges for their probate, municipal and supreme courts. Chief Justice William Cushing of the Supreme Court, an ancestor, administered the oath of office to the first president of the United States, George Washington. Mr. Cushing is a white seal Chautauqua graduate of 1892, a director and life member of the Montreal Y.M.C.A., representing the province of Quebec on the International Committee, an ex-vice-president of the International United Society of Christian Endeavor, and a life member of the Montreal Amateur Athletic Association. He is a prominent Congregationalist, a deacon and trustee of Calvary Church, a life trustee of the Point St. Charles Church and superintendent of its Sunday school, a director of the Congregational College of Canada, and vice-president of the Montreal Congregational Club. In politics he is a Liberal. He is a justice of the peace and issuer of marriage licenses. He is also the author of Cushing's Notarial Form Book and Historical Outline. Mr. Cushing was married, June 28th, 1883 to Lily M., daughter of Robertson Macaulay, president of the Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada.



WILLIAM RENWICK RIDDELL, B.A., B.Sc., LL.B., barrister, Cobourg, Ontario, was born in Hamilton Township, county of Northumberland, on April 6th, 1852. He is a son of Walter Riddell, a descendant of the Scottish Riddell family. Our subject began his education at the Cobourg Grammar School, from which he passed into Victoria University, and graduated B.A. in 1874, taking mathematics and science as a specialty. He took the degree of B.Sc. two years later and LL.B. in 1878. Mr. Riddell's first position was that of professor of mathematics in the Normal School in Ottawa. He filled this appointment for three years, when he began to study law in Ottawa, and continued his course at Belleville and Toronto. He was called to the Bar in February, 1883, bringing with him the Law Society's gold medal, standing first in all examinations, both as barrister and solicitor. He then began to practice in Cobourg where he now lives and conducts a large civil, criminal and counsel practice. Mr. Riddell has conducted important prosecutions for the Crown, amongst others the celebrated Davis murder case. He is the president and also a shareholder of the well known Crossen Car Manufacturing Company, (Limited), which he, with others, organized on the death of the late proprictor, James Crossen. He was elected to the Senate of Victoria University in the faculty of Arts by his fellow graduates in 1888 and re-elected in 1891. He is also a life fellow of the Botanical Society, Edinburgh, Scotland, and fond of scientific research. In religion he attends the Presbyterian Church. In politics he is a thorough Liberal, and has been president of the Reform Association of West Northumberland for several years. He was chairman of the Cobourg Collegiate Institute Board for 1890-91-92, and was elected a Bencher of the Law Society in 1891, being the youngest Bencher ever elected. Mr. Riddell was married, in 1884, to Miss Anna Hester K. Crossen, daughter of the late James Crossen, Esq., the well known manufacturer of Cobourg, Ont.

NARCISSE PÉRODEAU, notary, Montreal, Que., was born March 26th, 1851, at St. Ours, county and district of Richelieu, P. Q. His parents were Paul Pérodeau and Modeste Arpin. Mr. Pérodeau received his classical training at the College of St. Hyacinthe, P.Q., from 1864 to 1872. He was indentured to J. H. Jobin, notary, at Montreal, was admitted to the notarial profession for the Province of Quebec, and graduated Bachelor of Law at McGill University in 1876, when he formed a partnership with Mr. Jobin, who died in August, 1881. He has practiced also with J. L. Coutlée, the late C. M. Ducharme, and since May 1st, 1889, with Chateauguay de Salaberry, the grandson of the late Charles Michel de Salaberry, the hero of Chateauguay. He has been secretary at Montreal of the Board of Notaries for the Province of Quebec since May, 1880, and is also a commissioner to receive affidavits for the provinces of Quebec and Ontario. In politics he is a Liberal. Mr. Pérodeau was married at St. Hyacinthe, 23rd April, 1883, to Miss Mary L. Buckley, daughter of the late Dr. Charles Buckley, who was a surgeon in the Crimean War. His family consists of four children.

PHILIP PALMER BURROWS, M.D., C.M., M.C.P.S., Lindsay, Ont., was born in Ottawa, June 9th, 1842. He is the son of John Burrows, of the Royal Engineers, who came to Canada in 1816 and superintended the construction of the Rideau Canal. Dr. Burrows began his education at the Grammar School in Bytown, under the present Judge A. Ross. He studied medicine at Laval University, and subsequently at McGill College, graduating in 1865. He studied in the office of Dr. (now Sir James) Grant, of Ottawa, for four years, after which he began his profession in Millbrook and practiced there for eight years. He then removed to Ottawa where he remained two years. In 1877 he removed to Lindsay where he has secured a large practice. Dr. Burrows has written several articles on the various forms of tolapes, and was among the first to recommend the "fixed plaster cast" treatment now so successfully used. He is an enthusiastic sanitarian and has written a great deal on that subject. In religion he is an adherent of the Church of England. In politics an ardent Reformer. He was married April 22nd, 1874, to Miss Charlotte Needler, of Lindsay, Ont.

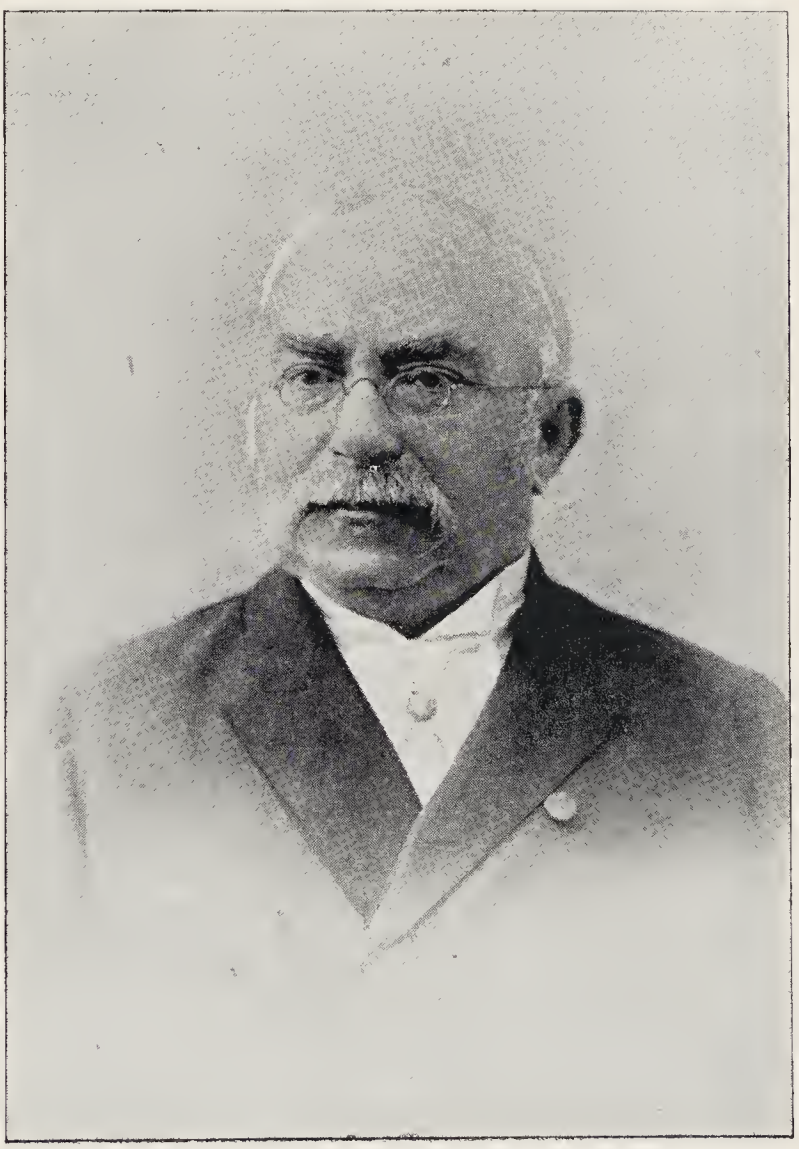
ARTHUR LAVIGNE, music, piano and organ dealer, Quebec, Que., was born in the city of Montreal, February 8th, 1845. He is the son of Moïse and Flore (David) Lavigne. He began his classical studies at the Jesuits' College in Montreal, and at the end of one year entered the College of Ste. Thérèse, where he successfully completed a thorough classical course. He is a college companion of Bishop Lorrain, of Pembroke, also of the present Minister of Public Works; Hon. Alderic Ouimet. He continued the study of music throughout his entire classical course with great interest. He took up the study of land surveying and civil engineering under Legge, Windeyer & Savage, Montreal, but soon discovered that this profession was not to his taste, and abandoned it in favor of music, and founded, in 1868, the music establishment which he has since conducted in Quebec with great ability and success. In business, Mr. Lavigne always aims at cultivating the public taste for the highest class of music, and has always endeavored to induce the people who deal with him to select the best instruments and most reliable musical publications. He has made constant efforts to encourage the leading European artists to visit Quebec, and has succeeded in many instances. In this, his main object is to give the public the opportunity of being educated in the highest class of art, and to appreciate the best talent that can be secured. He has taken a very active part in all local musical organizations, in Quebec, during the past twenty-four years. He was honored by invitations to the two great festivals in Boston, in 1869 and 1872. Mr. Lavigne has quite frequently visited Montreal as a virtuoso, and has many times given his services to the Montreal Philharmonic Society. He represents the leading piano and organ manufactories of New York, Boston, Paris, Brussels, and is in constant correspondence with the leading firms and publishers in Europe and the United States. In religion he is a Roman Catholic.

REV. CHS. JAMES STEWART BETHUNE, M. A., D. C. L., warden of Trinity College, Port Hope, Ont., was born in the township of West Flamboro, Wentworth county, Ont., August 11th, 1838. He is the third son of the Right Rev. A. N. Bethune, second Bishop of Toronto, and Jane Eliza (Crooks) Bethune, who trace their lineage back to the early records of Scottish and French history. Dr. Bethune began his education at private schools, in Cobourg, and continued it at the Upper Canada College. After leaving the latter institution he entered Trinity College, Toronto, from which he graduated B.A. in 1859, taking highest classical honors. He obtained his M.A. in 1862, and received the honorary degree of D.C.L. from his alma mater in 1883 in recognition of his services at Trinity College School. He was ordained deacon in 1861 and priest in 1862, by the late Bishop Strachan, of Toronto. He spent the following eight years in the active work of the Church, part of the time as curate, with his father, and latterly as rector of an important charge. In 1870 he was made head master of Trinity College School, Port Hope, where he has since remained. This institution is now one of the best known and most successful of its kind in the Dominion. The building is large and handsome with extensive playgrounds attached. The warden is aided by eight assistant masters, and the regular attendance of pupils is about one hundred and fifty. The Doctor has given much attention to scientific pursuits, and is well known in the United States, Great Britain and Canada as an entomologist. He was one of the founders of the Entomological Society of Canada, and was its secretary-treasurer for seven years and is now its president. He was entomological editor of the *Canada Farmer* for nine years and is now editor of the *Canadian Entomologist*, and has held that position for the last five years. Dr. Bethune was married, April 21st, 1863, to Miss Alice Forlong, second daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel Forlong, of Toronto.

JAMES NAISMITH GREENSHIELDS, Montreal, Que., was born in the county of Richmond, Que., in August, 1853. He was educated at McGill University and graduated in the faculty of law, taking the Elizabeth Torrance gold medal, and was admitted to the Bar of the Province of Quebec in 1877. He is senior member of the important legal firm of Greenshields & Greenshields, and has been, during his professional career, interested in the principal important trials of the Province. He was one of the counsel to defend Louis Riel, upon a charge of treason at Regina, and has just finished the defence of the Hon. Mr. Mercier, at Quebec, in which case he was leading counsel. He has been Crown Prosecutor, in Montreal, for a number of years, counsel in the principal criminal trials, and conducts a large civil practice in that city. Mr. Greenshields has always been a supporter of the Liberal party, and ran as candidate for the counties of Richmond and Wolfe, in 1886, against W. B. Ives, the present member for Sherbrooke, and was defeated by the small majority of 130. He is one of the best known and highly respected legal and public men in the Province of Quebec.

REV. ROBERT THYNNE, St. Andrew's Church, Markham, Ont., was born in Morebattle, Scotland, December 7th, 1841. He is the son of John and Barbara (Scott) Thynne, who came to this country in 1854 and settled in Woodstock. The former was a public school teacher for some time. Mr. Thynne entered upon his education at the parish schools in Scotland, and studied at the Upper Canada College, Toronto, in 1867. He then took a course in the University of Toronto, and in 1874 graduated at Knox College, in that city. His first charge was at English Settlement, Ont. (in the London Presbytery), where he remained two and a half years. He next occupied Beverly Church, in the Hamilton Presbytery, for about six years, after which he went to Port Dover for a similar period. In June, 1888, he was inducted into St. Andrew's Church, Markham where he yet remains (1892) successful in his work and much beloved by his people. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M., Home Circle, and United Workmen societies. Politically, he is an Independent. Mr. Thynne was married, November 9th, 1860, to Miss Isabella, (deceased) second daughter of the late Wm. Currie, Esq., of Ayr, Ont.

LOUIS FRANCIS WILFRID MARCHAND, Q.C., and Clerk of Appeals of the Court of Queen's Bench, Montreal, was born in St. Mathias, River Chambly, January 27th, 1833. He is the son of Louis Marchand and Charlotte Cere. The former was a native of Amsterdam, Holland, and came to Canada in 1825, was imprisoned as a patriot in 1837, appointed justice of the peace in 1840, and settled in Montreal, in 1844. He was a member of the Harbor Commission, president of the Trinity Board, a founder of the Richelieu Navigation Company, councillor and alderman of the city of Montreal, and president of the City Board of Finances for several years. His mother was related to the Cere's de la Colombière; one of her sisters, Sister Mance, was superioress of the Hôtel-Dieu of Montreal, another Sister Cere, was the foundress of the Convent of the Holy Names of Jesus and Mary. Mr. Marchand was educated at the College of St. Hyacinthe, and subsequently studied law under Sir George Cartier. He was called to the Bar February 6th, 1854, and replaced Judge Beaudry as Clerk of Appeals, (the latter having been appointed secretary of the commission for the codification of the laws for the Province of Quebec) from 1859 to 1868, when he was made Clerk of Appeals of the Court of Queen's Bench, which office he still holds. He was appointed a Q.C. in 1887. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and is church warden of the parish of Notre Dame, Montreal. He is also a member and treasurer of La Société Historique de Montréal, and translated the travels of Kalm in North America. He is also a commissioner for the purposes of the Act concerning the erection and division of the parishes in the Catholic diocese of Montreal. He is corresponding member of the Société des Antiquaires de Normandie, and in 1870 was secretary of the Society for the relief of the victims of the Franco-Prussian war. In politics he is a Conservative, and was one of the founders of the former *La Patrie*, the first French daily paper published in Canada.



ROGER CONGER CLUTE, Q.C., LL.B., Belleville, Ont., was born near Picton, Prince Edward county, Ont., on the 18th day of August, 1848, of U.E. Loyalist stock. He is a son of Richard R. Clute, whose grandfather came from New York State shortly after the Revolutionary War, and settled in the county of Prince Edward, and Hannah Clute (*née* Wright) whose parents were also among the earliest settlers in the county of Prince Edward. The Clute family were of Dutch descent, their ancestors having come over from Amsterdam in the seventeenth century. Mr. R. C. Clute was educated at the Stirling Grammar School and Albert College, taking the degree of LL.B. in 1873. He pursued his legal studies in the office of A. R. Dougall, Q.C., and subsequently with Harrison, Osler & Moss, of Toronto. He was called to the Bar in 1873, and at once began the practice of law in Belleville, and has built up a business of large proportions. The firm is now Clute & Willim, and recognized as holding a leading position in the legal profession. He was a member of the senate of Albert College, and lecturer and examiner in the faculty of law, until its union with Victoria University. He was made Queen's Counsel in 1890. Mr. Clute was appointed Crown Counsel to conduct the celebrated Handcock Murder case, just tried in Toronto, 1892, and has continuously, since 1881, conducted Crown cases at the request of the Attorney General, at different Assize Courts throughout the Province. He is invaluable to his party in election times, being an able platform speaker, and in the matter of an impromptu address has few equals. In religion Mr. Clute is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church; in politics, a Liberal, and has taken an active part in the various elections since 1873. He was a candidate for the Commons for West Hastings in 1891, but was defeated by Mr. Corby. Mr. Clute was married on the 12th of June, 1873, to Miss Rosa Corby, daughter of the late Henry Corby, Esquire, of Belleville, Ontario.

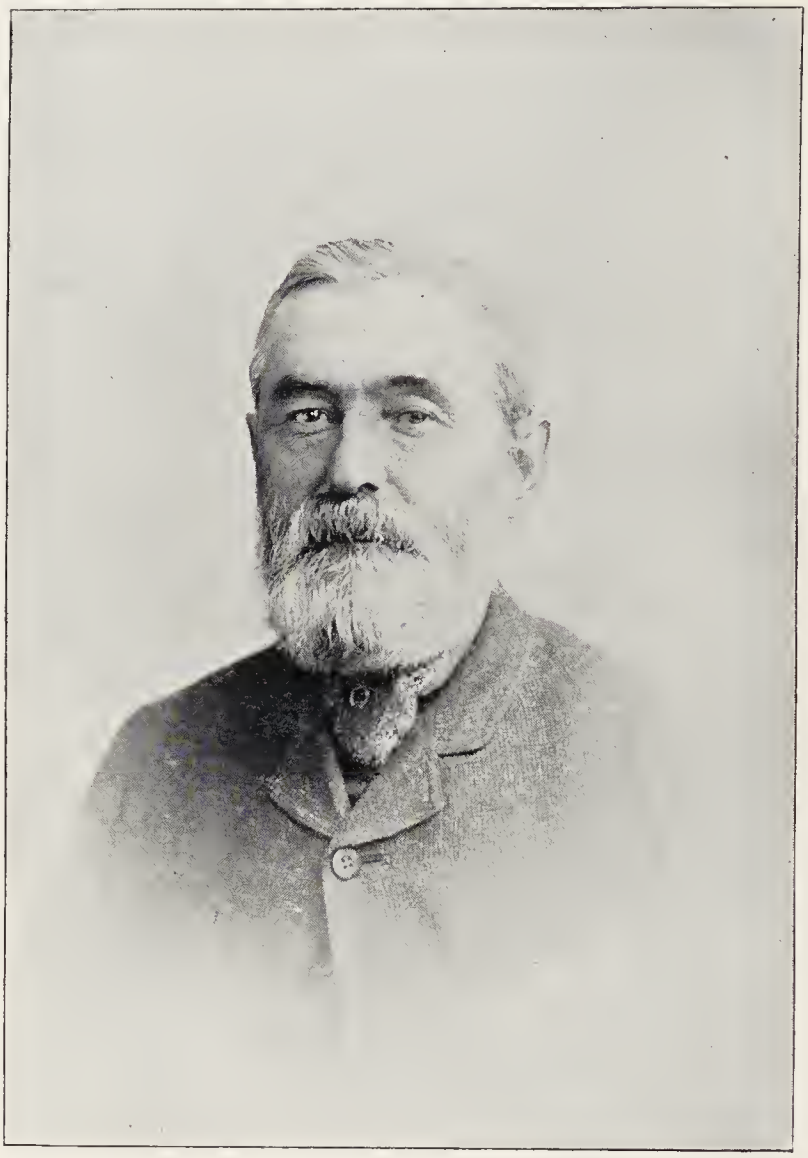
JOSEPH ADAM, B.C.L., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in Marieville, county of Rouville, district of St. Hyacinthe, July 30th, 1850. His father, Guillaume Adam, is still living in good health at the age of eighty years (1892). Mr. Adam was educated at Ste Marie de Monnoir, district of St. Hyacinthe, and did not enter college until nineteen years of age, having assisted his father in the management of the farm, until forced by ill health to abandon hard manual labor. After completing his six years' course, he went to Montreal and began the study of law. After three years at McGill University, he was admitted to the Bar in 1878. Six months later, he formed a partnership with the late Hon. Duhamel, ex-commissioner of Crown Lands, under the name of Adam & Duhamel. This partnership existed until the death of the latter in 1892, since then Mr. Adam has practised with his brother-in-law, Georges E. Mathieu. Religiously, he is a Roman Catholic, and politically a Conservative, but is not active in political matters. He was married in September, 1883, to Corinne, eldest daughter of Hon. Justice Mathieu, one of the judges of the Superior Court, Montreal.

WILLIAM JAMES CLARK, editor, publisher and proprietor of the Pickering *News*, Pickering, Ont., was born near Barrie, Ont., December 29th, 1864. His parents were also born in Ontario, which makes him a thorough Canadian. He attended the Flesherton public school until he was twelve years of age when he began his apprenticeship to the manufacturing of woollen goods. Some five years later he abandoned this line of business and entered a printing office where he served a term with a view to becoming a publisher. In March, 1888, in company with his brother Joseph, he bought the Pickering *News* from L. S. Ackerman, who had made it an independent journal of more than ordinary merit. The Clark Brothers conducted the *News* until November, 1890, when William bought his brother's interest, since which he has been the sole proprietor and has succeeded in giving it an increased circulation and making it an important factor in the county where it is issued. Mr. Clark is, in religion, an adherent of the Methodist church. In politics an Independent. He was married, March 26th, 1890, to Miss Annie Jean, daughter of Wm. Allan, Esq., Hamilton, Ont.

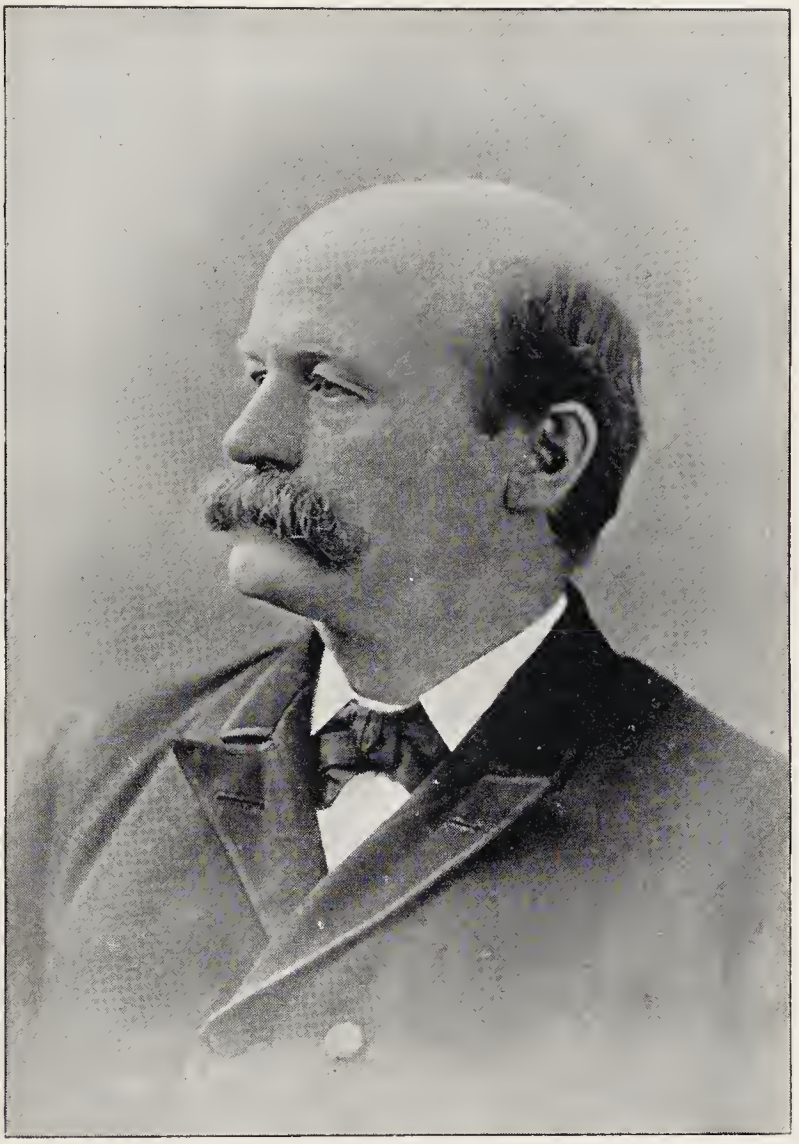
MICHEL GORDON LA ROCHELLE, B. A., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in Sorel, county of Richelieu, Que., in 1866. On his father's side, he descends from an old French family, with Scotch connections of literary fame, who occupied prominent positions in La Rochelle, France, at the time of and after the French religious wars. He is also a relative of the late Hon. L. N. La Rochelle, who was for many years a member for Dorchester. On his mother's side he is also French, her ancestors having settled in Sorel in the early times of the French régime. Mr. La Rochelle was educated at the College of Sorel and at the Seminary of Nicolet, taking the degree of Bachelor of Arts at the latter, and stood in the first rank at the contest for the prize of the Prince of Wales. He subsequently studied law for two years under Hon. Wilfrid Laurier, to whom he was private secretary in 1887, when chosen Liberal leader. He completed his legal studies at Laval University, and under Hon. R. Laflamme, in Montreal, with whom he became partner, after his admission to the Bar in 1890. He now practices in Montreal with Mr. Madore, under the firm name of Madore & La Rochelle, which is known as an important legal firm. In religion he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. He is president of the Club National, a most important political association in the Province of Quebec, and held that position at the time Mr. Mercier was dismissed by Lieutenant-Governor Angers, and his successful administration of affairs during the election campaign elicited his chiefs' compliments. He was married in May, 1888, to Miss Evangeline, daughter of Jules Chevalier, advocate and registrar, of Richelieu county, and Eliza Johnston, whose father, Robert Johnston, has been legal partner of the late Hon. Aylwin and Seigneur of Yamachiche. By her father, Mrs. La Rochelle is allied to the de la Bruère, de Salaberry, de St. Ours, and Pacaud families, and by her mother to the Gugy, Nelson, Porteous and Matthewson line.

ROBERT WILSON FORREST, M.B., Mount Albert, Ont., was born in Lanarkshire, Scotland, in September, 1840. His parents were James and Janet (Wilson) Forrest, who emigrated from Scotland to this country about the year 1858. Dr. Forrest began his education in the common schools in Scotland, and when about fifteen years of age entered upon a two years' course at the Grammar School in the town of Lanark. At the completion of this course, he came to Canada with some other members of the family, arriving here in 1857. He at once took up his studies in private, and shortly after engaged in teaching public school, which he continued for some four years. In the Spring of 1861, he matriculated into the University of Toronto. He afterwards took three courses in the Toronto School of Medicine, and went before the Medical Board for license in the Spring of 1864. He then went to the United States, and passed an examination in New York, as acting assistant surgeon. He was then despatched to Louisville, Ky., and ordered to report to General Sherman, on the field, just before the battle of Atlanta, but was subsequently assigned to duty at the Cumberland Hospital for two months, after which he was sent to Hospital No. 8, in the city of Nashville, where he remained until the close of the war. While in Nashville, he attended lectures at the University of Nashville, and obtained his M.D. Immediately after his discharge, he attended clinical lectures at Bellevue Hospital, and on his return to Canada, located in Mount Albert, Ont., and at once commenced his profession and has built up a large practice which he still conducts, and is a most highly respected resident of the community. Dr. Forrest is in religion a Presbyterian; in politics a Liberal-Conservative, and believes in imperial federation. He is a member of the A.O.U. W., and medical examiner for that society, also coroner for the county of York. He was married December 28th, 1865, to Miss Margaret M. Widdifield, of Ontario county.

JOSEPH OLIVIER JOSEPH, B.C.L., Q.C., Montreal, Que., was born in the city of Three Rivers, Que., May 26th, 1843. His father, Jacob M. Joseph, was of Jewish descent, but embraced the Roman Catholic faith prior to his marriage. Mr. Joseph received his education at Terrebonne, and is a Roman Catholic. He graduated B.C.L. at McGill University, Montreal, in May, 1864, and was admitted to the Bar the same year. He always took an active interest in the works of the literary societies. In 1867, he was elected secretary of the Montreal Section of the Bar, and in 1870, secretary-treasurer of the Bar of the Province of Quebec, and held that office until 1873, when he was appointed District Magistrate for the County of Gaspé, and in 1875, for the district of Beauharnois, and part of the district of Montreal. This office having been abolished in 1878, Mr. Joseph resumed his profession. In December, 1889, he was created Q.C. by the Dominion Government, and is now (1892) one of the examiners of the Bar for the Province of Quebec. Mr. Joseph was married, January 17th, 1871, to Miss M. L. Virginie, daughter of the late Charles A. Terroux, Esq., notary.



GEORGE CORMACK, lumber merchant, Whitby, Ont., was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, March 17th, 1830. His parents were George and Isabella (Beaton) Cormack, both deceased. Mr, Cormack's early advantages were very few. He had not attended the common school long, before he was obliged to abandon his studies and enter upon a five years' apprenticeship to the carpenter's trade with John Thompson, of Aberdeen. He soon showed a marked natural adaptation and genius for this work, and at the expiration of his term of service he was known as a most artistic and thoroughly equipped workman. Mr. Cormack made the model of Balmoral Castle, and subsequently worked nearly four years on the construction of that building. In 1857 he came to Canada and located in Whitby, and during the greater part of his stay, in Ontario, has conducted a most successful wholesale lumber business, having connections with nearly all parts of this continent. He is in religion a Presbyterian, in politics a Reformer, and an ardent Free Trader. He was a member of Whitby town council for two years. Mr. Cormack was married in May, 1859, to Miss Elizabeth Evans, a native of Wales.



RÉMI TREMBLAY, journalist, editor in chief of *La Patrie*, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Barnabé, county of St. Hyacinthe, Que., April 2nd, 1847. His father was François-Xavier Tremblay, one of the insurgents who fought at St. Denis in 1837. Mr. Tremblay's education was confined to the common school of Ste. Victoire, Richelieu. He emigrated with his parents to Massachusetts, but returned to Canada two years later. In 1863 he enlisted in the 14th U.S. Infantry, and was in the army of the Potomac, in the battles of the Wilderness, Spottsylvania Court House, North Anna and other engagements. He was in Libby prison, and endured its horrors for nearly six months. He again returned to Canada at the age of eighteen, took his military certificate in 1866, and subsequently served as sergeant in the Chasseurs Canadiens. He subsequently commenced writing for newspapers, and in 1868, was correspondent of *Le Protecteur Canadien*, St. Albans, *Le Pionnier de Sherbrooke* and *Le Progrès*, and finally became a professional newspaper man in 1877. During the following years, he was prominently connected with several influential journals, among them notably: *Les Laurentides*, *La Minerve*, *Le Monde*, *La Presse*, *L'Étendard*, *Le Courrier de Montréal*, *La Justice*, *L'Indépendant*, *La Gazette de Joliette*, *Le Courrier* and *La Patrie*. In 1884, he was the only authorized translator of the speeches delivered in the French language in the House of Commons. In 1889 he visited Europe, and on his return to Canada, assumed the *La Patrie* editorial chair. Mr. Tremblay has distinguished himself by writing several volumes of popular poems, which with other publications in prose, have been favorably commented on by the press. Among them may be mentioned, "*Caprices Poétiques*," "*Un Revenant*," "*Coups d'Aile et Coups de Bec*," etc. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. In politics a Liberal. Mr. Tremblay was married, October 26th, 1868, to Julie Lemery, daughter of Augustin Lemery, Esq.

RICH. MARTIN BATEMAN, M.D., C.M., Pickering, Ont., was born near the village of Oakwood, Victoria county, Ontario, April 26th, 1862. He is the son of William Bateman, a prominent farmer, who held important public offices during his active life, and who now lives retired, and is a Justice of the Peace in the town of Port Perry. Dr. Bateman first attended school on the Island of Scugog, Ontario county, and subsequently spent three years in the High and Model schools at Port Perry. He subsequently taught for two years, and in April, 1881, graduated from the Eastman National Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y. In June, 1886, he graduated from Victoria University, Cobourg, and in May of the same year, received his license from the Ontario College of Physicians and Surgeons. He then went abroad and made a tour of England, Ireland and Wales, after which he studied medicine in London during part of 1886. He then returned to his native province, and located in Pickering, where he formed a partnership with Dr. Byron-Field in 1887. In the same year Dr. Bateman bought the residence and interest of his partner, and amalgamated with Dr. Rea, of Fergus, Ont. About one year later, the latter removed to Toronto, leaving our subject to conduct the large double practice alone, which he has managed so successfully, that he has now (1892) a very large and remunerative connection. The doctor is a member of several societies, and at present holds the offices of J. W. in the A.F. & A.M., V.C.R. and physician to the I.O.F., physician to the A.O.U.W. and S. C. and G. C. Rep. of the R. T. of T. In politics he is a Loyal Conservative, and active in the interests of his party. He is the executive officer for Pickering of the South Ontario Conservative Association; president of the Mechanics Institute, Pickering; coroner for the county of Ontario, and a member of the Whitby Board of Education. Dr. Bateman was married, November 6th, 1888, to Miss Minnie E., eldest daughter of B. Bunting, J.P., Pickering, Ont.

JOHN E. CHAFFERS, LL.B., barrister, of the well-known legal firm of Augé, Leclair & Chaffers, Notre Dame street, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Césaire, Rouville county, Quebec, December 27th, 1865. He is a son of the Hon. W. H. Chaffers, a leading member of the Quebec Senate. Mr. Chaffers was educated at the Seminary of Quebec, where he passed a brilliant course, and on concluding his scholastic training, he entered Laval University to study law, and making rapid progress, was admitted to the Bar July 12th, 1891. Although but a young man, Mr. Chaffers gives evidence of good legal ability. He has already had the honor of being vice-president of the Society of Law students, and secretary of the Montreal National Club. He has been (1885), president of the Laval, St. Louis de Gonzague, Ste Cécile and Orpheonic societies, and is otherwise popular and favorably known. He is in religion a Roman Catholic. In politics he is a Liberal, but devotes all his time to his important and rapidly increasing clientage. Mr. Chaffers was married, October 26th, 1891, to Miss L. Augé, daughter of M. O. Augé, Esq., M.P.P.

JOHN GRANT, M.D., M.R.C.S., England, was born in the county of Lennox, Ontario, in 1831, and is of Scottish ancestry. He was educated in the schools of his own county and in the Toronto Normal School. He began the study of medicine in the Albany Medical College, New York, in 1854, from which he graduated in 1857. He is also a graduate of the Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, the Medical Department of Victoria College, Toronto, and the Royal College of Surgeons, England. Dr. Grant has enjoyed the advantage of extensive travel, having spent much time in Europe in pursuit of Medical knowledge. He spent the first fifteen years of his practice in Santa Cruz, California, where he acquired valuable experience. Subsequently he was for several years a prominent physican and surgeon in Virginia City, Nevada, and was for four years chief surgeon to the Miners Hospital. During the last eight years Dr. Grant has been devoted to the practice of his profession in Napanee, where he is a popular physician and a much esteemed resident. In religion he is a Presbyterian. The Doctor is a high Scottish rite Mason and a Knight Templar. He never married.

WILLIAM EVANS JONES, editor and publisher of the *Richmond Guardian*, Richmond, Que., one of the leading journalists of the Province of Quebec, was born May 12th, 1828, at Swansea, South Wales. His parents were William and Mary (Evans) Jones. He received his education in the public schools of his native place, afterwards attending the Grammar School, and subsequently studied at London University and qualified for the English Bar, but immediately went into mercantile life. While attending the University, he acted as occasional reporter in the House of Commons for a London daily, and was special correspondent in Ireland during the rebellion and famine of 1847-8. He came to Canada in 1858, and settled in Richmond, Que. In 1860 he founded the *Guardian*, which he has since conducted so successfully. He ran twice for parliament but was defeated in one of the contests by the small majority of fourteen. In politics he is an ardent Conservative and imperial federationist. He has the reputation of being one of the most brilliant political writers in the Province, and also a powerful platform speaker. He was the first president of the Eastern Township Press Association, and served a second term in that capacity. He is now president of the Conservative Association of the County of Richmond. In 1871 he was sent to Britain as special commissioner for the Province of Quebec, to organize a scheme for Canadian emigration, the late Hon. Thomas White, afterwards Minister of the Interior, being the commissioner for Ontario. He was one of the chief census officers in 1891. His long experience in the working of municipal councils has made him one of the best authorities on municipal law in the Province. In religion he is a Baptist, but has not actively identified himself with church work. He was married, in 1852, to Mary Ann, daughter of William Clark, farmer, of Swansea, Wales, by whom he had two sons and four daughters.

FREDERICK LUTHER FOWKE, general merchant and grain dealer, Oshawa, Ont., was born near Oshawa, Ontario county, May 27th, 1857. He is the son of Job Wilson and Adeline P. (Stone) Fowke, both Canadians by birth, and the former a leading merchant in Oshawa for over thirty years. Mr. Fowke received his primary education at the Oshawa public school, subsequently passed through the High School, and finally attended the British American Commercial College, Toronto, for one year. He entered upon his business career in 1878, as a grain dealer. Two years later, he bought the dry goods business of Hodder & Southcombe in Oshawa, which he has conducted most successfully in connection with his produce trade. His marked success in both lines is the result of his ability, carefulness and strictly honorable dealing. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M. society, and a present J.W. of Cedar Lodge, No. 270. He is greatly interested in all civic affairs, and was elected a member of the town council for 1888, which office he filled with much credit to himself. In 1890, he was elected Deputy Reeve, which office he still holds. Mr. Fowke has been chairman of the Oshawa Finance committee for three years; a member of the Toronto Board of Trade since 1887, and is secretary-treasurer of the Oshawa Harbor Co. (limited). In religion he is a Loyal Baptist, and clerk of that church in Oshawa, superintendent of the Sabbath school, and president of the S.O.C.E. at Oshawa. He is also ex-president of the South Ontario Sabbath School Association, and active in all good work. He has no sympathy with the idea that activity in secular matters debars one from doing good work in the cause of religion. In politics Mr. Fowke is an active Reformer, and advocates such a measure of free trade, as may be consistent with the best interests of the country. He is warmly attached to Great Britain, to whom he feels we are indebted for our free institutions, but hopes to see Canada a great and independent nation.

ONÉSIME MARIN, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Simon, county of Bagot, October 19th, 1842. His father, Joseph Marin, was an honorable farmer. After a regular course of study in St. Hyacinthe College, Mr. Marin began to study for the notarial profession, and on June 15th, 1866, received his diploma, and subsequently practiced his profession at St. Denis. He removed to Montreal in 1874, and engaged as clerk in the "Compagnie de Prêt and Crédit Foncier," subsequently practiced in partnership with Louis Bédard, and later, entered the firm of Papineau, Durand & Papineau. On the death of Mr. Durand, in 1885, the management of the business devolved principally on Mr. Marin. During the past seven years, he has been treasurer of the Board of Notaries for the Province of Quebec, and for many years notary of the Corporation of Montreal, la Banque du Peuple, and several estates and public institutions. He is highly esteemed by his confrères, his clients and the public generally. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. He was married, September 10th, 1867, to Valerie, eldest daughter of Pierre Paradis, merchant and mayor of St. Denis.

STEPHEN HUFFMAN THORNE, M.D., C.M., Bobcaygeon, Ont., was born in Northumberland county, Ont., October 23rd, 1865. His parents were John Thomas and Nancy (Huffman) Thorne. The former was a native of London, England, who for many years carried on farming successfully in Northumberland county, Ont. Dr. Thorne entered upon his education at the public school, passing from thence to the Grammar School at Brighton, and subsequently attended the Albert College, Belleville. He registered at the Royal College of Physicians, Kingston, in 1883, and studied there for four years. He obtained his diploma from Queen's University in 1887, and immediately after entered the New York Polyclinic, remaining three months, after which he became house physician in Mount Sinai Hospital, N.Y., for four months. In December, 1887, Dr. Thorne settled in Bobcaygeon, Ont., where he has been eminently successful and is rapidly rising to the front in his profession. In religion he is a Presbyterian. In politics a Conservative. He is also a member of the A.F. & A.M. society. He was married, June 25th, 1890, to Miss Nellie Maud, daughter of the late O. Miller, Brantford, Ont.

LIEUT.-COL. THOMAS PAGE BUTLER, D. C.L., Q.C., of Montreal, was born in Kingsey, P.Q., August 3rd, 1845. His parents were Rev. John Butler, M. A., and Jane (Page) Butler. The former was rector of Kingsey from 1842 to 1849, principal of Lennoxville Grammar School during the next five years, and head-master and proprietor of the Classical School in Hamilton, Ont., from 1854 to 1858, after which he retired to Parochial work, and died in 1881. Col. Butler was educated by his father, and subsequently passed through McGill College. At the age of sixteen, he took a first-class certificate, on which he taught for a short time. One year later, he matriculated in arts at Toronto University, taking honors in classics and mathematics, and entered on the study of Law in the office of the Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, then solicitor-general, and acted as his secretary until the overthrow of the Macdonald-Sicotte Government in 1863. He passed the Bar in 1866, and practised in connection with Rose & Ritchie for one year. During the next three years he was a member of the firm of Hemming & Butler, Drummondville, P.Q.: from 1870 to 1881, with John Monk, of Montreal, since which time he has practised alone or with junior partners. He is in religion, a member of the Church of England, and was warden at Longueuil in 1873, and at different times since. He is at present grand master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, A.F. & A.M., and D.D.G.M.W. of the A.O.U.W., and also belongs to other fraternal societies. He was a member of the council of the town of Longueuil in 1874-1876. He has been since March, 1889, Lieut.-Col. commanding the Prince of Wales Regiment, Montreal. In politics he is a Conservative, but does not take an active part, except at elections. Mr. Butler is well known for his legal ability, and has won the confidence and esteem due to a faithful discharge of important duty. He married, August 24th, 1870, to Mary Jane Cooke, daughter of the late Valentine Cooke, of Drummondville, P.Q.

ARCHIBALD WILSON, M.B., M.C.P. and S., Fenelon Falls, Ont., was born in the county of Durham, Ontario, October 26th, 1852. He is the son of Archibald and Susannah (Sutton) Wilson, both natives of Ireland. The former came to this country when about twenty years of age. He immediately began work in true pioneer style, and soon provided a home for himself. He subsequently became a successful farmer and followed agricultural pursuits for many years. He was a captain in the militia prior to the volunteer system, and subsequently a Justice of the Peace for a long period, and now lives a retired life at the age of eighty-four years. Dr. Wilson began his education at the public school in Manvers township. After leaving the common schools, he took private lessons in the higher branches from his brother, Dr. E. S. Wilson. He took lessons in classics from the Rev. John Vickers, in Janetville, Ont., to whom he feels deeply indebted, not only for the thorough instruction he received, but also for the sterling counsel given him. Dr. Wilson matriculated before the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, and in due course obtained his license. He graduated from Trinity College and University of Toronto in 1878. He then located in Fenelon Falls, and began to practice his profession, and has now (1892) a desirable connection, and is known as a skillful physician, and is a highly esteemed resident of the community. The doctor was for three years a member of the town council. He is also identified with the A.F. & A.M., I.O.F., H.C. and L.O.A. societies. In religion he is an active member of the Methodist Church, being church trustee and leader of the choir. In politics he is an enthusiastic Reformer, an out-and-out free trader, and a strong prohibitionist. Dr. Wilson believes in Canadian independence with a friendly alliance with Great Britain. He was married, February 10th, 1880, to Miss Minnie, eldest daughter of Benjamin Bowman, Esq., of Fenelon Falls.

PHILEAS MAINVILLE, notary, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Jacques l'Achigan, county of Montcalm, Que., June 8th, 1843. His father was George Mainville, a successful agriculturist, and his mother was Melanie Thibodeau, both Acadians. Mr. Mainville received his early tuition in the common schools of his birthplace, and completed his higher education at l'Assomption College, where he passed a highly creditable course. He subsequently concluded to enter the notarial profession, and completing his course in this connection, was admitted as notary, October 15th, 1866, and has since conducted a large practice in the city of Montreal. He is at present (1892), notary of the French Canadian Artisans Society, and represents other numerous and important trusts. He is well up in his profession, and by prompt and careful attention to his clients, has become well and favorably known. He is in religion a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics a Conservative. Mr. Mainville was married May 18th, 1868, to Edwidge Pepin, daughter of Charles Pepin, Esq. His family consists of two sons, Charles Phileas, an Inland Revenue officer, and Joseph Roch, a notarial clerk.

NAZAIRE N. OLLIVIER, advocate, Quebec, Que., was born in St. Nicholas, Lévis, in the year 1860. His parents were P. and Olive (Demers) Ollivier. He completed his studies at the Quebec Seminary, from which he obtained the degree of B.A. He studied law at Laval, graduating in 1886 with the Tessier first prize, the Lansdowne gold medal, and the title of licentiate of law with distinction. Three years later after the required tests, and publication of a thesis on the "nullity of contracts," he received from the same university the distinguished honor of Doctor of Laws. At the last general elections for the legislature, in 1892, he solicited the suffrage of the county of Lévis, but was defeated. He has always been a Liberal in politics, and was one of the founders and president of the L'Union Libérale Club, and has always been a director and editor of the newspaper of the same name. Both newspaper and club were founded by a group of young Liberals, who for several years waged an ardent fight against their adversaries, and were independent towards their own political chiefs. Mr. Ollivier was married, in 1889, to Miss Héloïse, daughter of the late Odilon Roy, Esq., advocate.

BLAISE FERDINAND LETELLIER, advocate, Quebec, Que., was born in Lévis, near Quebec, June 23rd, 1862. He is the son of Blaise and Emerentienne (Lacombe) Letellier. The former is related to the late Hon. Luc. Letellier, ex-Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. Mr. Letellier was educated at the Quebec School and at Laval University. After making a brilliant course he obtained the degree of Bachelor of Laws at the latter institution, and at his final examinations, carried off the silver medal presented by the Governor-General, Lord Lansdowne; the gold medal presented by ex-Lieutenant-Governor Masson, and the Tessier second prize, presented by Judge Tessier. He was admitted to the practice of law on July 12th, 1886, and has practiced since that time, at Quebec, in partnership with N. N. Ollivier. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, in politics, an active and ardent Liberal. He was one of the directors of *L'Union Libérale* newspaper, which had a reputation in political circles for a few years. He wrote his articles over the signature "Max." Mr. Letellier was married, June 4th, 1889, to Miss Elmina, daughter of Albert Angers, Esq., of the Civil Service.

HUGH HENRY GRAHAM, M.D., C.M., M.R.C.S., Fenelon Falls, Ont., was born in the county of Peterborough, Ont., January 22nd, 1854. His parents were Thomas and Margaret (Sharp) Graham. The former was born in Scotland, and came to Canada in 1831. Dr. Graham obtained a thorough education at the public and High schools and the Collegiate Institute. He graduated in medicine at Trinity College, Toronto, in 1882. He then spent the summer of that year in Jamaica, after which he went to England and attended the London hospitals for one year and seven months, and became a member of the Royal College of Surgeons, of England, by examination, in 1884. He then settled in Lindsay, where he remained for nine months, and then removed to Fenelon Falls, where he has secured a large practice. Dr. Graham is a member of the A.F. & A.M. society, and a past master of the order. He is also a member of Fenelon Falls town council and medical health officer for the township. In religion he is a member of the Baptist Church. In politics an Independent Reformer. He was married, July 28th, 1886, to Miss Mary T. only daughter of Wm. Yelland, Esq., of Peterborough.

JAMES CRANKSHAW, B.C.L., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born July 20th, 1844, at Manchester, England. His parents were William and Mary Ann (*née* Farrell) Crankshaw. The former was English, the latter Irish. He was educated at Mayfield and St. Andrew's schools, Manchester, and at McGill University, Montreal. In 1858 he entered the law office of Vaughan & Lingard, solicitors to several railways, and to Lord Egerton, of Tatton; from 1864 to 1876, was manager for C. Nuttall & Son, solicitors, Manchester. In 1876 he came to Montreal and entered the employment of the Grand Trunk Railway as shorthand clerk. In December, 1877, he entered the office of Messrs. Kerr & Carter, barristers, Montreal, to whom he was articled in July, 1879. While in this capacity, he was law reporting in Montreal courts, passed the annual examinations at McGill with honors, graduated B.C.L. in March, 1882, and was admitted to the Bar, in 1883. In the session of 1880, he was a Hansard reporter in the House of Commons at Ottawa, and in the same year, reported the voluminous evidence in the famous election trial of Christy vs. Hon. (now Sir) John Abbott. He was the means of establishing the new system of examinations for law reporters in the Montreal courts, he himself passing the first examination at a test speed of 165 words per minute. Mr. Crankshaw is married and has several children; he is a Protestant in religion, and in politics a staunch Liberal Conservative. He has taken a somewhat active part in political matters, and done grand service for his party. He is a member of the following societies: C.O.F., S.O.E., A.O.U.W., The Select Knights of Canada, and the Victoria Royal Arch Chapter of English Free Masons. He is a past master of St. George's Masonic Lodge, and also of Victoria Lodge of Mark Master Masons of England. He is also a prominent member of the Montreal Junior Conservative Club and of the Sir John Macdonald's Club, and is at present Conservative leader in the Montreal Parliament.

REV. COLIN CAMPBELL McLAURIN, pastor of the Baptist Church, Sarnia, Ont., was born in Clarence, Russell county, Ont., February 2nd, 1854. He is a son of the late Peter C. McLaurin, a farmer who came from Perthshire, Scotland, and also a brother of George McLaurin, barrister, Ottawa. Mr. McLaurin spent his early life on his father's farm, and began his education at the public school. He entered the Baptist College, Woodstock, in his sixteenth year, and remained there through his full academic and theological course, graduating in his 23rd year. He was ordained immediately after, and became pastor of the Kemptville and South Gower Baptist churches, where he labored with much success for seven years. During his ministry, both churches were repaired and large accessions received at both appointments. In 1884, Mr. McLaurin received a call to the pastorate of the churches at St. Mary's and Fullerton, which he accepted and was inducted the same year. He displayed so much well directed zeal, that his church progressed quickly and at the end of two years, the cause at St. Mary's had so developed that it required all his attention, and he was obliged to relinquish his charge of the church at Fullerton. In December, 1888, he received the call to his present charge, where he has been eminently successful. During his first year a Mission Church was built in the Southern part of the town, and in the Autumn of 1891, the Central Church was enlarged to double its former seating capacity. A similar enlargement was made in the Sabbath school rooms, and between five and six thousand dollars spent on these improvements. The church has been blessed with gracious revivals, and a large increase of membership. He has been district secretary for the home mission board of his denomination for a number of years, and is highly esteemed by the church. Mr. McLaurin was married in October, 1877, to Miss Maggie, daughter of Philip Rosser, of London township, Ont.

M. J. ARCAS DORVAL, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, June 26th, 1856. His parents were Joseph Henri Dorval, merchant, of Montreal, and Dame Julie (Tharsile) Dorval. He began his education at the public schools, entered upon his classical course at Montreal College, and completed it at the College of St. Hyacinthe. After completing his college course, he resolved to follow the notarial profession, and finishing his studies in that direction, was admitted as notary, October 3rd, 1879, and since that time has continued to practice in Montreal. He is now (1892) one of the leading notaries of the Province of Quebec, a man of sterling integrity, good business ability, and controls a large and important practice. He is a member of the Provincial Board of Notaries, and manages several large estates, fabriques and corporations, and is a director of several societies and financial companies. He is a Liberal in politics, but does not take an active part in political matters. In religion he is a Roman Catholic. He was married, May 17th, 1880, in Montreal, to Miss Marie Alphonsine, daughter of Urgel Perrault and Dame Elizabeth L'Africain.

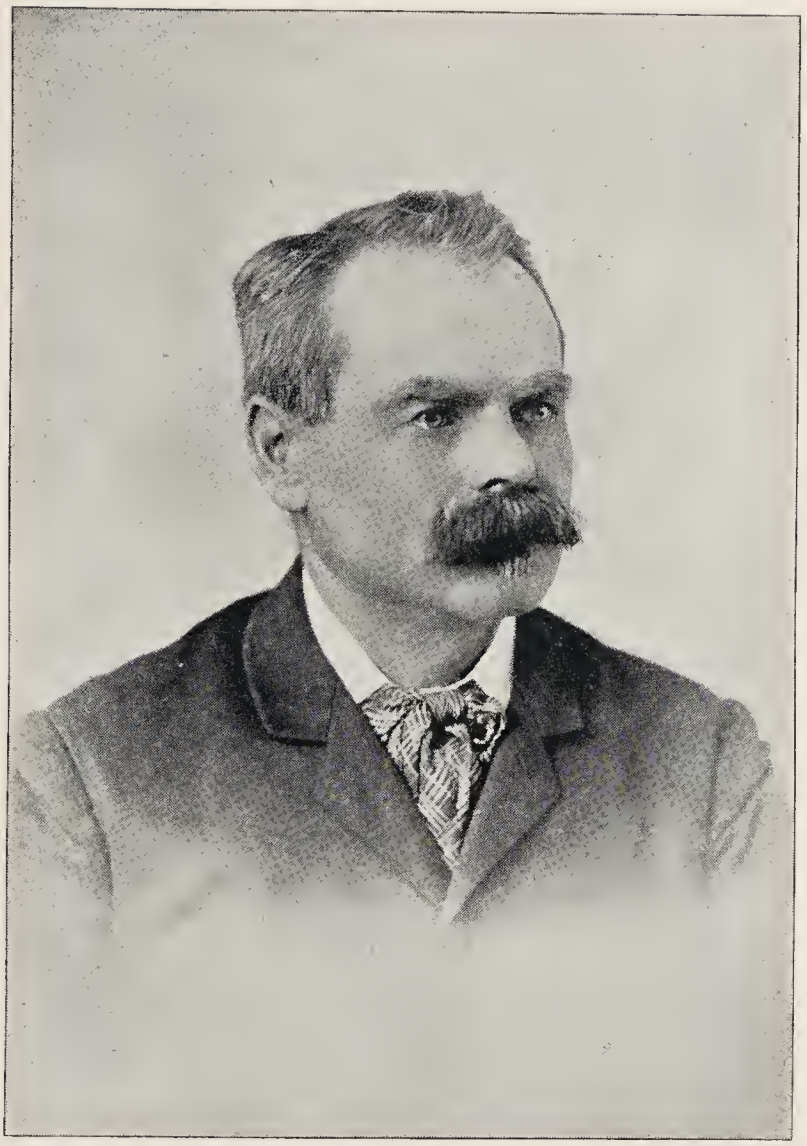
REV. MALCOLM McKINNON, B.A., Fenelon Falls, Ont., was born on Prince Edward Island, February 2nd, 1857. He is the son of William and Catharine (McQueen) McKinnon, natives of the Isle of Skye, Scotland, who emigrated to this country and settled on Prince Edward Island. Mr. McKinnon received his primary education at the public schools, and subsequently took a course in the Normal School at Charlottetown. He then taught school for four years, after which he attended the Prince of Wales College, to prepare for matriculation into Queen's University, which he entered in 1881 and graduated in 1885. He continued the study of theology in the same university, graduating in 1888. He was ordained the same year in St. Andrew's Church, Eldon, by the Rev. A. G. McLaughlin, B.A. Mr. McKinnon was called to the church in which he was ordained, and his efforts in building up the cause at Eldon have been singularly successful. He was inducted into the Presbyterian Church at Fenelon Falls, December 29th, 1891, where he is doing grand work and is much beloved by his people. He was married December 24th, 1889, to Miss Maude H., second daughter of R. Edwards of Cannington, Ont.

LOUIS JULES BÉLANGER, advocate, Quebec, Que., was born in the town of Rimouski, Province of Quebec, November 8th, 1835. His parents were Elie and Maria Julienne (Garon) Bélanger. The former was a duly commissioned land surveyor. Mr. Bélanger was educated in Ste. Anne's College, in the county of Kamouraska, Quebec Province. On the completion of his scholastic course, he took up the studies prescribed for a land surveyor, and was admitted to the profession in 1858, and made solicitor and attorney in 1862. Since then Mr. Bélanger has been Clerk of the Circuit Court and secretary of the Royal Commission, and has now (1892) acquired a most desirable and remunerative position in business, and has by his sterling qualities won the good will and respect of his fellow citizens. He is an able legal man and occupied the above positions to the great satisfaction of the public. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic. He was married, January 23d, 1861, to Miss Marie E. J., daughter of Félix Lavoie, merchant, and for many years city councillor of Quebec. He has a large family of sons and daughters, several of whom occupy positions of responsibility and honor.

JEFFREY E. HANSFORD, LL.B., barrister and solicitor, partner of Heyd, Hansford & Lennox, Toronto, Ont., was born in Melbourne, Quebec, November 17th, 1864. He is a son of the late Rev. Wm. Hansford, D.D., who came from Dorset, England, in 1854, and was first stationed in Quebec city, where he married Marian Reynar, daughter of James Reynar, Esq., of Quebec. Mr. Hansford was educated at Stanstead Wesleyan College, Collegiate Institutes of Ontario and Toronto University. He studied law under articles with W. H. Walker, Q.C., Ottawa, and J. J. McLaren, M.A., LL.D., Q.C., Toronto, and was called to the Bar in January, 1888. He obtained the degree of LL.B. from Toronto University in 1891. He is a member of the Masonic and Sons of England Societies, the Osgoode Legal and Literary Society, and the Athenæum Club. In religion, Mr. Hansford is a Methodist. He is in politics a Liberal Conservative, and a member of the Young Men's Liberal Conservative Association. He is the author of "The Business Guide" and an assistant author of "Manual of Evidence," and is remarkably successful in a general practice of law.

LOUIS WILFRID SICOTTE, Clerk of the Crown and of the Peace for the district of Montreal, Montreal, Que., was born at Boucherville, Que., on December 10th, 1838. His father was Jean-Baptiste Sicotte, farmer, and his mother's name is Josephte Céré, who are descendents of the oldest French families of Canada, his ancestor being one of the founders of Montreal. He received his classical education at St. Hyacinthe, while he studied law at Montreal, and was admitted to the Bar October 1st, 1860. In 1861, he published and edited the *Colonisateur*, paper published in the interests of colonization and of the Conservative party, with the Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Hon. J. A. Mousseau, and others. He was secretary of the Bar in 1864, and occupied that position until he accepted that of private secretary of Sir Geo. E. Cartier in 1865. In 1866, he began to work the "Cadastre" of the Province of Quebec. During this time, he published the official book of reference of the City, Parish and Island of Montreal, and for which he received honorable mention at the Paris Exhibition in 1878. He left the "Cadastre" office for the Registry office of Hochelaga and Jacques Cartier in 1877, where he remained until 1882, when he was asked to accept his present position of Clerk of the Crown and of the Peace. In religion he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He was married, January 12th, 1864, to Miss Marie Malvina Giard, second daughter of Louis Giard, Esq., who has been for over 35 years the secretary of Education of the Province of Quebec. Seven children have been born to them; the eldest son having been admitted to the Bar in 1886, and is a member of the firm of Doherty & Sicotte. Three of his daughters are married, the eldest Malvina, to inspector Starnes, of the Mounted Police of the North-West; the second one, Amelia, to Major Labelle, of the 65th Battalion, and the third daughter, Marie Louise, to Capt. Labelle, brother of Major Labelle, and of the same battalion. Mr. Sicotte belongs to the Conservative party.

GEORGE SAMUEL BEAN, B. A., B.Sc., LL.B., Principal of the Peterborough Business College, was born in York county, Ontario, May 14th, 1859. He is the son of Thomas and Rebecca (Brumby) Bean, both natives of Lincolnshire, England, who came to Canada early in life and devoted their energies to farming, at which they were very successful, accumulating a large amount of property. They are now living a retired life in Oxford county, Ont. Mr. Bean began his education at the public schools, and at the age of eighteen, he entered the Collegiate Institute at Brantford. In 1881, he entered Victoria University, Cobourg, and graduated in 1885, with first honors and medal in science. He was for a time master of mathematics and modern languages in the Bradford High School, and subsequently Mathematical master in Peterborough Collegiate Institute. In 1888, he was appointed university examiner in mathematics, having received the degree of B.Sc. for special attainments in the department of mathematics. During that year Mr. Bean entered upon the duties of the position which he now occupies, and has discharged them with great credit to himself and profit to those under his care. The Principal is supported by a very able staff of assistants, and the instruction given is largely individual, which makes it more thorough in its nature. He is an active member of the Methodist Church, belongs to the official board, and is secretary-treasurer of the George street Sabbath school. He is also prominently connected with the Epworth League movement throughout the Province of Ontario. Mr. Bean is a member of the I.O.O.F. and Sons of England societies. In politics he is a Reformer of advanced views, and is of the opinion that Canada is sufficiently important and intelligent to manage her own affairs, and would have greater prosperity if she were an independent nation. He was married, December 26th, 1885, to Miss Minnie E., second daughter of Jonathan Salsbury, of Cobourg, Ont.

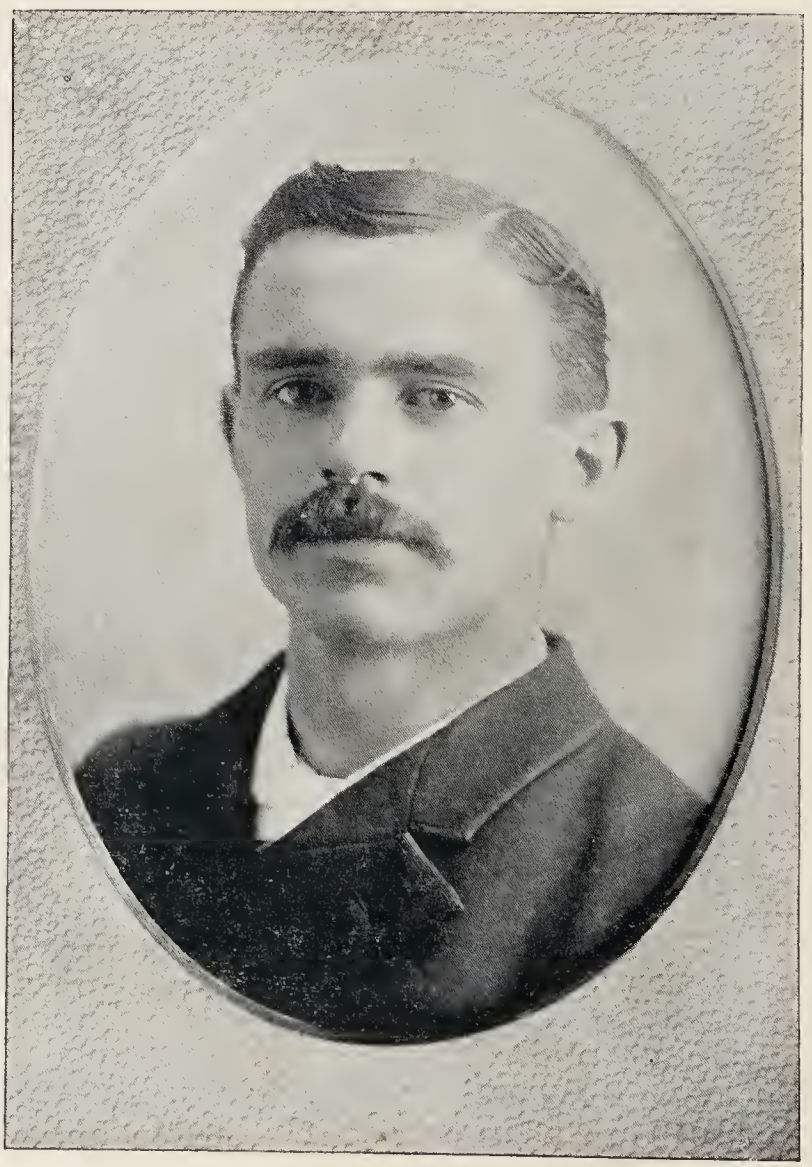


TREFFLÉ BERTHIAUME, proprietor of *La Presse*, a leading daily journal in Montreal, Que., was born in St. Hughes, August 4th, 1848. His parents were Gédéon and Eléonore (Normandin) Berthiaume. He began his education in the common school of St. Hughes, and subsequently attended St. Hyacinthe College. At the age of fourteen years, he began to earn his own living by type setting, and worked himself up to the position of proprietor, which he has had the honor to be since 1889. He is also co-proprietor of *Le Monde Illustré*, which was established in 1884, the same year in which *La Presse* made its appearance, and which has now a larger circulation than all the other French papers combined. In addition to *La Presse* and *Le Monde Illustré*, Mr. Berthiame is the chief partner in the commercial printing society, doing business under the style of Gebhardt & Berthiaume, Montreal. He is an excellent business man, and has made the French press a success in the Province of Quebec, and in this respect has done a very great work. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and in politics an Independant Conservative. He was married, August 21st, 1871, to Miss Helmina Gadbois.

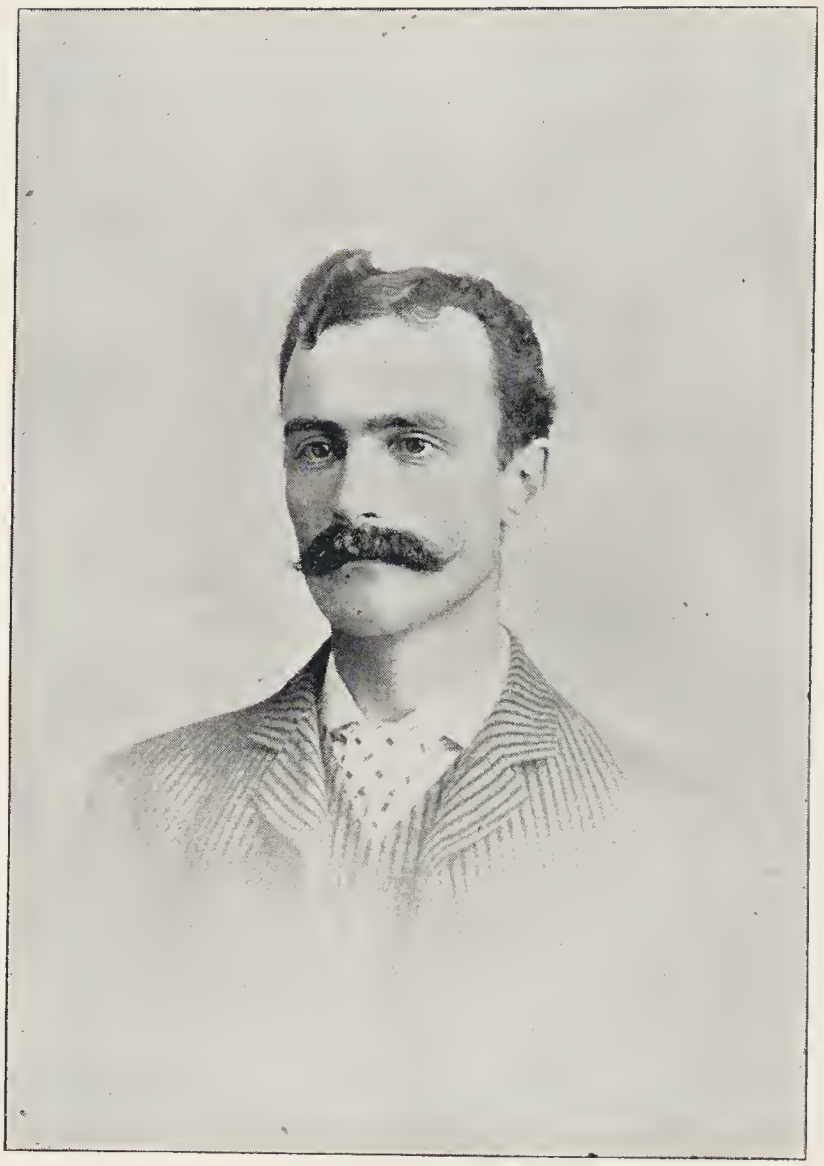
JOHN HULL, merchant miller, Lakefield, Ont., was born near Whitby, Ontario, March 9th, 1842. He is a son of the Rev. T. R. and Mary A. (Fox) Hull, both natives of England. Mr. Hull was educated at the public schools in various parts of the Province. When fifteen years of age, he began his apprenticeship to the milling business. After his term of service expired, he spent some time in different mills in Ontario and Quebec. In 1862, he began business in Fenelon Falls, Ont., and two years later, removed to Lakefield, and rented a small mill, which he subsequently purchased. In 1887, he remodeled the mill by putting in the latest improved roller process machinery, the best known for manufacturing flour. He now ships to various parts of the Dominion, Great Britain and the United States. Mr. Hull is a member of high official standing in the Masonic order, Justice of the Peace and a member of Town Council. He is in religion a Methodist, in politics a Reformer with no faith in the National Policy, as an advantage to the manufacturer. He has been married twice; first, in 1862, to Miss Jessie McLean, of Russell county; and second, to Miss Jennie Cullis, of Camborne, Ont.

ALPHONSE GOSSELIN, Assistant City Clerk, Montreal, Que., was born October 19th, 1841, in Montreal. His parents were Pierre Gosselin and Marie Louise Perras, who though working people, gave a good education to a family of seven boys. Mr. Gosselin received his education in Montreal, at the Christian Brothers' School, and at St. Mary's College (Jesuits). His classical course was obtained under such men as the Hon. Denis Benjamin Viger, member of the Legislative Assembly, and, after him, his nephew, Côme Séraphin Cherrier. Mr. Gosselin remained in the same institution, as a teacher of classics, for two years. On resigning this position, he had two years' experience in a music store. He was then employed on the newspaper *Le Nouveau Monde*, which position he resigned March 19th, 1872, having been appointed assessor's clerk. In three months he was promoted to the City Clerk's office, and was appointed assistant City Clerk, September 18th, 1883. He is a Roman Catholic, and belongs to four benevolent societies, viz.: Union St. Pierre, Union St. Joseph, les Artisans Canadiens-Français de la Cité de Montréal, and I.O.F. He was president of l'Union St. Pierre, from November 2nd, 1880, to November 1st, 1887, and its treasurer since that time. President of l'Union St. Joseph, from November 1st, 1881, to November 6th, 1882, and its treasurer ever since. He was a director of Les Artisans for six months. In the I.O.F. he held the position of treasurer for one year, and in July, 1892, was appointed court deputy high chief ranger of Court Champlain, No. 663. He also received from the high chief of the Province of Quebec, a commission of district deputy high chief ranger in October, 1892. He is also a J. P. for the district of Montreal. In politics, Mr. Gosselin is a Conservative, but takes no active part in political matters. He was married, June 8th, 1869, to Miss Caroline, only daughter of Charles Charland. One son and two daughters have been born to them, but one daughter only is living.

REV. SAMUEL THOS. BARTLETT, Methodist Minister, Lakefield, Ont., was born in St. Helier, Island of Jersey, March 11th, 1863. He is the son of Samuel George and Mary (Lamble) Bartlett. The former was a native of the Isle of Wight, and the latter was born in Devonshire, England. Mr. Bartlett began his education at the public schools, and entered the High School in London, Ont., at the age of ten years. He remained in that institution until 1878, when he pursued a private course of study in theology, preparatory to entering the ministry. While preparing for a University course, he was prevailed upon by his friends in the church to begin preaching, which he did at the age of seventeen, and his success was so pronounced, that he continued and prosecuted his studies privately. Mr. Bartlett is a devoted and diligent student, and for recreation, devotes himself to the study and culture of flowers, of which he is very fond. He has also given considerable attention to amateur photography, to the literature of which he has contributed several valuable articles. He has also written for the press on various other important subjects, and in many ways given evidence of fine literary taste and ability. He was ordained in June, 1884, being 21 years of age, by the Rev. Edward Roberts, at Bowmanville, Ont. His first charge was Glencoe, where he labored one year, when he was appointed to Dawn Mills, much against the wish of the Glencoe people. He served three full years at his second appointment, and was very successful. He was then compelled by ill health to ask for a transfer to the Toronto Conference, from which he received several invitations. A transfer was granted, and Newtonville given him as his first charge on the new district. He labored there acceptably for two years, and received his present pastorate in 1891. He is doing good work in Lakefield, and is much beloved by his flock. Mr. Bartlett was married, Dec. 31st, 1884, to Miss Jane Hillyar, of Bowmanville, Ont.



WALTER ERNEST LYMAN, B.A., Provincial Manager Manufacturers' Accident Co., and Insurance Broker, Montreal, was born in November, 1861. He is the youngest son of Henry Lyman, identified with business life in Montreal, for over half a century. Mr. Lyman was educated at private schools and McGill University, graduating in 1881. After being nearly two years in the Bank of Montreal, he entered the "Fire" department, and a year later, the "Life" department of the Citizens Insurance Co., in which he held a responsible position until that branch was closed a few years ago. In 1890, he entered the service of the Manufacturers' Life and Accident, and joined the firm of Selby & Rolland, the then provincial managers, under the style of Selby, Rolland & Lyman. On the first of Nov. 1892, he relinquished the Life company to devote himself exclusively to theManufacturers' Accident. In religion he is a member of the Church of England, in politics a Conservative. He is also a member of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Montreal, Imperial Federation League, and corresponding secretary for Canada of the English Liturgical "Society of St. Osmund."



ROBT. GOODFELLOW ARMSTRONG GRAHAM, senior member of the firm of Graham Bros., Claremont, Ont., was born September 23rd, 1861, in York county, Ontario. He is a son of Richard Graham, a native of Cumberland, England, who emmigrated to Canada when a young man. After some years he commenced to deal in horses in a small way. His importations were of the very best class, which caused his business to develop into large proportions. After the death of Mr. Graham, snr., in 1882, his two eldest sons, William Miller Graham, and the subject of our sketch, succeeded to the management of what had then grown to be the most extensive importation of Clydesdale and hackney horses in the Dominion. The Graham Bros. won the gold medal for the last four years on Clydesdale stallions at the Toronto Spring shows, and also obtained the gold medal on Hackneys at the same Spring fair in 1892. They conduct an extensive establishment, and their immense buildings are arranged to suit requirements of their large export and import trade. Mr. Graham is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church, a member of the A.F. & A.M. society; in politics a Conservative.

VERTEFEUILLE FABIEN VANASSE, ex-M.P., advocate, Montreal, Quebec, was born at St. David Yamaska, November 6th, 1847. His parents were François-Xavier Vertefeuille Vanasse, and Angélique Dupuis, whose ancestors came from France in 1860, and settled at Three Rivers, Que. He was educated at Nicolet College, attending there from 1861 to 1870. Commenced the study of law in January, 1871, and was admitted to the Bar of the Province of Quebec in 1875. His law studies were conducted under the Hon. Judge Jetté. In 1874, he was secretary of the political organization, the Club Cartier, of which he, in connection with the Hon. G. A. Nantel, were the founders. From 1875 to 1878, he was junior partner of the firm of Trudel, Taillon & Vanasse, the late Hon. F. X. A. Trudel, and Hon. L. O. Taillon, Prime Minister of Quebec, being his partners. In 1879, he was elected M.P. for Yamaska, in place of the Hon. Judge Gill. He represented this county until 1891. In 1874, at the instance of Sir John Macdonald and Sir Hector Langevin, he took charge of the political direction of the then Conservative newspaper *Le Monde*, which position he resigned in September, 1892, to resume the practice of law. He is now engaged in the preparation of a large legal work on the Code of Civil Procedure, called *La Bibliothèque du Code de Procédure Civile*. In 1890, he was honored by Pope Leo XIII with the cross *Pro Exclesia at Pontifice*. He has been for years a leading member of the Conservative party and advocates the maintenance of the Federal and Colonial Regime, until Canada becomes strong enough to support the responsibilities of National independence. Mr. Vanasse is a devoted member of the Conservative Association for the district of Montreal. He is engaged in legal partnership with Hon. G. A. Nantel, under the firm name of Vanasse & Nantel. He was married to Miss Marie Claire Elmire Desève, daughter of Alexandre Desève, Esq., advocate, Montreal, on January 17th, 1877.

REV. HENRY BRENT, M.A., Canon Rector of St. George's Church, Newcastle, Ont., was born in London, Eng., February 23rd, 1818. His parents were William and Mary (Montfort) Brent, who came to America in 1822, and settled in the city of Quebec, Que. The former died in 1834, and the latter in 1831. Mr. Brent began his education at the public schools in Quebec city, and continued it under private tutors in Toronto, whither he removed in 1831. He subsequently graduated from Trinity University, Toronto, in 1861. He was ordained deacon in Toronto, July, 1846, and priest in 1847, at Cobourg, Ont. After ordination, he was curate at Cobourg for one year, and incumbent at Barriefield for six years. In 1853, Mr. Brent was appointed to his present charge at Newcastle, and for forty years, has given to his parishioners a loving and devoted service. The closing years of his ministry afford him the consciousness of having done much to comfort and elevate the people among whom he has so long labored, and in whose loving regard he has never ceased to live. His life has been marked by unusual activity. At the age of nineteen years, he was ensign in Col. Kingsmill's regiment during the rebellion of 1837, and throughout his after career, he took a prominent position in all that pertained to the welfare of those about him. Mr. Brent is a member of the council of Trinity College, and has been chairman of the Newcastle High School Board for the past twenty-five years. He was married, January 20th, 1858, to Sophia Frances, daughter of the late James Cunnings, of Chippawa, Ont., one of the original settlers in that district, and an ex-M.P. Mr. Brent's family consists of three sons and four daughters. The eldest daughter is a nurse in St. Phœbe's mission, Brooklyn, N.Y. The second daughter is Mrs. Rev. Geo. Haslam, Lunenburg, N.S. The eldest son is in the ministry, the next son is in the Standard Bank, and the third son is finishing his course at Trinity Medical College, Toronto.

REV. ANDREW TANNAHILL LOVE, B.A., Quebec, Que., was born in Dunlop, Ayrshire, Scotland, Jan. 28th, 1854. He is a son of Robert and Mary Ann (Tannahill) Love, both born in Scotland. Mr. Love received his preparatory education in the Old land, and graduated in Arts and Sciences in Queen's College, Kingston, Ontario. He took his Divinity course in Scotland, and graduated from the Glasgow University in 1881. He was licensed and ordained by the Presbytery of Glasgow, May 20th, 1881, and settled in St. Stephen, N.B., the same year. Mr. Love was called and inducted to St. Andrew's Church, Quebec, December 18th, 1884, where he still (1892), conducts a most successful pastorate. In addition he is professor of church history and pastoral theology in Morrin College; member of the Protestant Council of Public Instruction for Quebec Province; vice-principal and governor Morrin College; Protestant Chaplain of Beauport Asylum, and a member of the corporation of McGill University. He was married July 28th, 1881, to Miss Lydia Maud, daughter of T. Coxworthy, Esq., Kingston, Ont., and grand daughter of the late Commissary General Coxworthy.

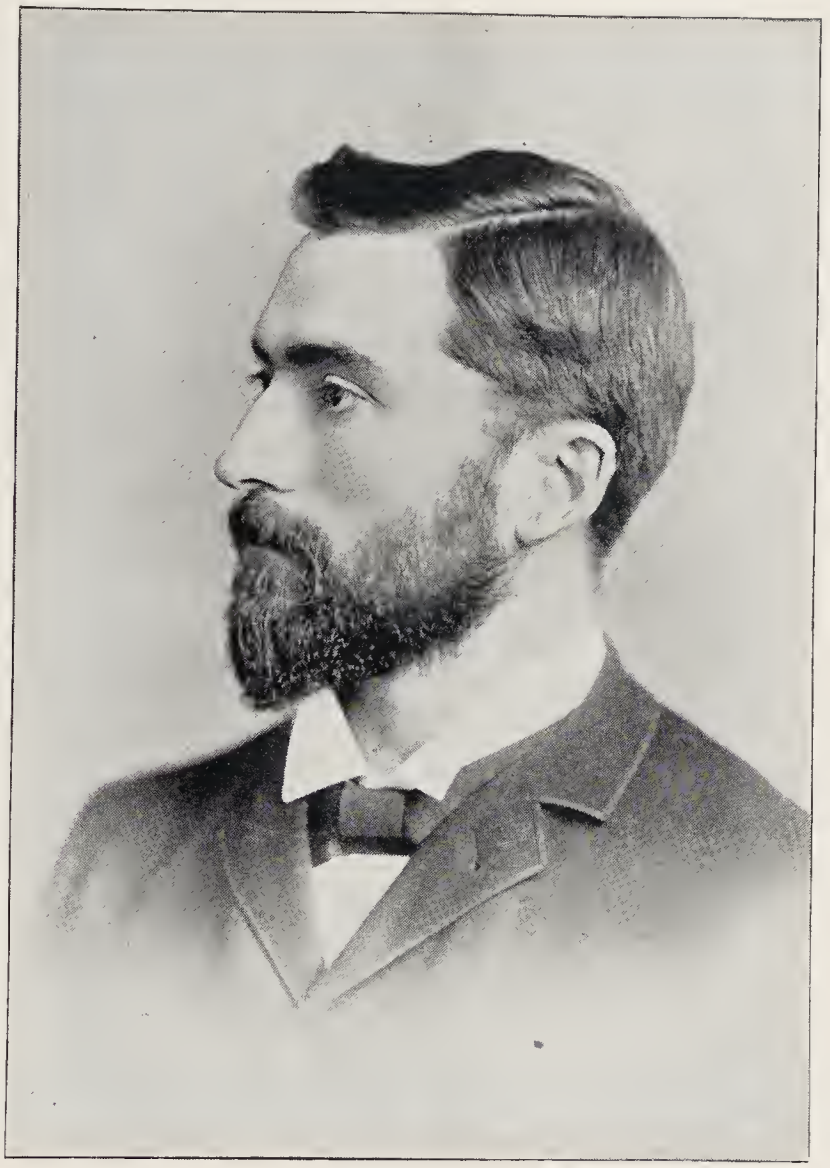
ROBERT WEBSTER STEACY, jeweller, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in Lansdowne, Leeds county, Ont., April 11th, 1852. He is a son of Richard and Annah (Williams) Steacy, who were amongst the pioneers of Leeds county. Mr. Steacy received his education at Greenfield public school, and Gananoque High School, after which he served an apprenticeship with G. N. Asselstine, watchmaker, in Gananoque. He then worked in Toronto as journeyman for two years, and afterwards in Kingston, where he managed the jewellery business of S. Oberndorffer & Co. for three years. He removed to Smith's Falls in August, 1873, and began business for himself. Owing to his superior workmanship and careful attention to the requirements of his business, he has secured a trade of large proportions, and is known as one of the most reliable men in the jewellery business. He is in religion a Methodist, and is a member of the Trustee Board and president of the Epworth League. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. In politics he is an Independent. Mr. Steacy was married, October 15th, 1873, to Maria Warwick, second daughter of the late C. J. Warwick, Kingston, Ontario.

EDGAR D. LACY, resident manager for Canada of the Imperial Insurance Co. of London, was born September 1834, at Buffalo, N. Y. His father was Wm. H. Lacy, who was accountant of U. S. Bank at Buffalo, and afterwards cashier of Bank of Lyons, N. Y. His grandfather was John T. Lacy, who went from Catskill, N.Y., to Black Rock, now part of Buffalo, N.Y., in 1818, where he established a shipyard and built the first steamer on the Western Lakes, called by the Indians "Walk in the Water." His mother was the daughter of Robert Patterson, of Hudson, N.Y., a prominent merchant and woolen manufacturer. Mr. Lacy received his education at the public schools in New Orleans and Buffalo. In 1860, he began business life as clerk in an insurance office, and advanced step by step with different companies until 1883, when he came to Canada for the Imperial Insurance Company of London, Eng., since which the company has advanced to the front rank. The Imperial has built, at Montreal, one of the finest and most conveniently arranged buildings in the city, for its offices, also one at St. John, N.B. In religion, Mr. Lacy is a member of the Church of England.

MORTON GALLAGHER, M.D., C.M., Campbellford, Ont., was born near the village of Portland, Leeds county, Ontario, May 19th, 1863. His parents are William and Jane (Hanna) Gallagher, now living (1892) at Portland, Ont. Dr. Gallagher received the rudiments of his education at the common schools, and subsequently attended the High School and Model School, Farmersville, for three years. He commenced teaching at eighteen years of age and two years later he entered the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston, and received his M.D., C.M. from Queen's University, in the Spring of 1887. In June of that year he was granted a certificate of honor by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons. In Sept. 1887, Dr. Gallagher settled in Campbellford, where he continues to practice with marked success. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O.O.F. and I.O.F. societies. In religion he is a Methodist, and a member of the Trustee Board of that church. In politics he is an Independent. The Dr. was married, December 25th, 1889, to Miss Emily Tucker, M.L.A., daughter of the Rev. Wm. Tucker, of Centreton, Ont.

O. THÉRIEN, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born at Sainte Anne des Plaines, county of Terrebonne, P.Q., September 3rd, 1860. He is the son of Pierre Thérien, farmer and Claire (Derouin) Thérien, and was educated at the Petit Séminaire, Ste. Thérèse, and in law at Laval University, Montreal. He was called to the Bar July 9th, 1885, after having studied under Ed. Barnard, Q.C. He was one of the editors of *Le Monde* newspaper, in Montreal, and was interested in politics when a student, and as a newspaper man took part in many political campaigns. After being called to the Bar, he went to Ste. Julienne, chef-lieu of the county of Montcalm, and was elected for the House of Commons for that county, Feb. 22nd, 1887, when only twenty-six years of age, and represented Montcalm county for four years, (Hon. L. O. Taillon being the M.P.P. for that county). He removed to Montreal in May, 1892, and has since followed his profession. When he was M.P. for Montcalm, he founded *Le Montcalm* newspaper in the district of Joliette. Mr. Thérien is a talented young man and a forcible speaker. In politics he is a Conservative, and in religion a Roman Catholic.

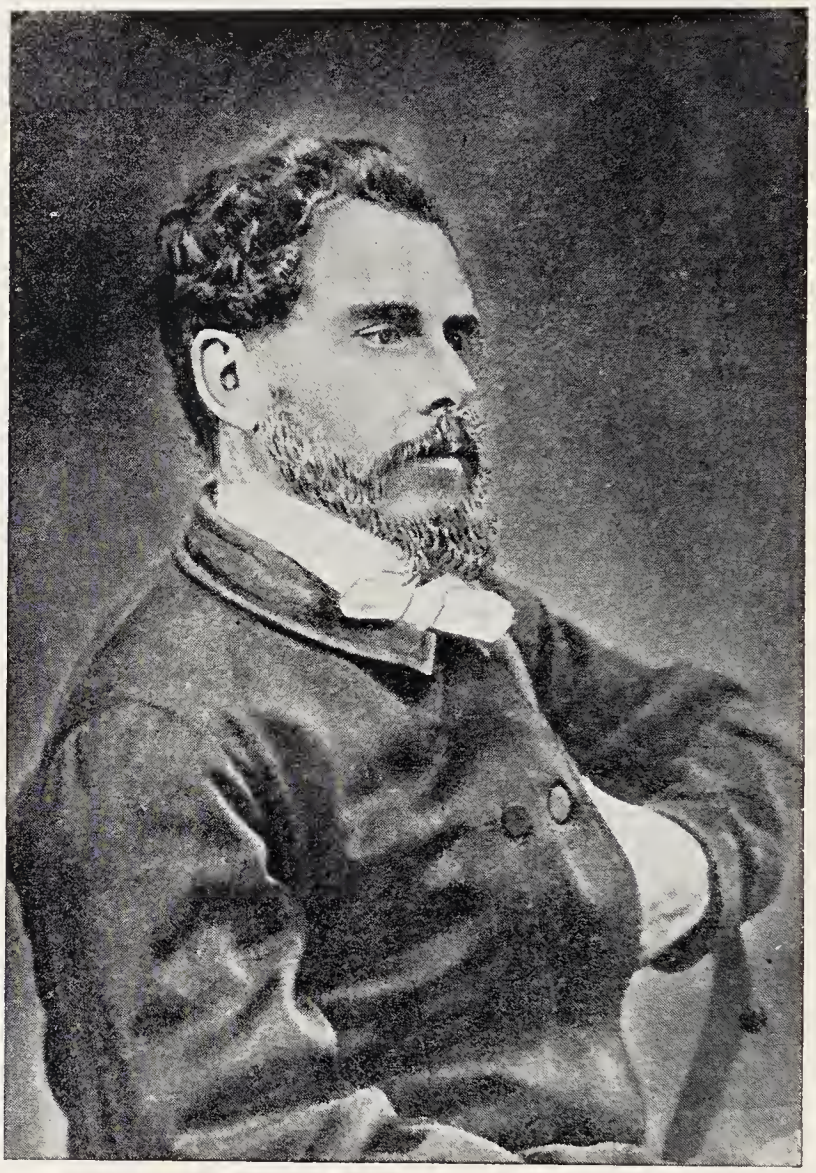
ALEXANDER M. SHIELDS, B. A., Principal of the High School, Campbellford, Ont., was born in Peel county, Ontario, October 10th, 1853. His parents were Alexander and Eleonor Shields; the former a native of Ireland, and the latter Canadian born. Mr. Shields began his education at the common schools of Peel county, and subsequently attended the Toronto Collegiate Institute, from which he matriculated into the University of Toronto in 1875, and graduated in 1879. He then taught in Mount Forest High School for ten years, and was eminently successful. He is an ex-president of the North Wellington teachers' association, and was an active director of the Mechanics' Institute in Mount Forest. He removed to Campbellford in 1890, to enter upon his present position, and the high standing of his school is the result of his energy and ability. Mr. Shields is an active and influential member of the Methodist Church, an ex-Sabbath school superintendent and a successful preacher. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. Society, and in politics is a Reformer. Mr. Shields was married December 24th, 1879, to Miss Mary, daughter of James Lindsay, Esq., of Peel county, Ont.



JOSEPH OCTAVE PELLAND, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born at Berthier, Que., September 26th, 1860. He was educated at Jacques-Cartier Normal School, Montreal, studied law under the late Hon. J. A. Mousseau, was admitted to the Bar in January, 1884, and soon secured a good connection. He subsequently entered partnership with A. Girard, M.P.P., under the firm name of Pelland and Girard, and the firm thus formed, have a large clientage and control a magnificent business. Mr. Pelland was formerly a Conservative, and was vice-president, and later on, secretary of the Cartier Club. In 1885, he left the Conservative ranks to join the National, now the Liberal party, and was appointed solicitor to the Revenue Department of the district of Montreal, in which capacity he served until the fall of the Mercier administration. For a man of his age, to gain such distinction is creditable, and judging by his past record, he will become a prominent public figure in the future of his country. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and was for years vice-president of the Society of St. Jean-Baptiste. Mr. Pelland was married in 1886, to Miss Marie Louise, daughter of Benoit Bastien.

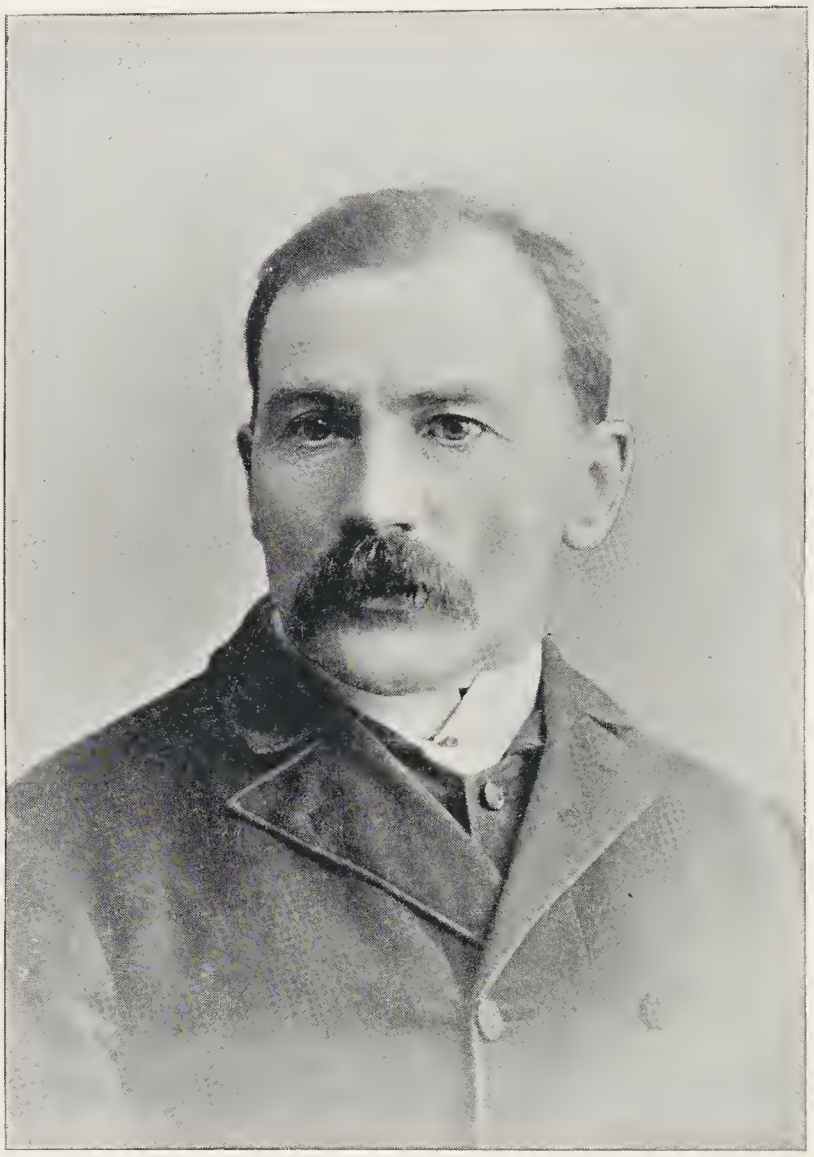
REV. ALEXR ARMSTRONG SCOTT, M. A., pastor Zion Presbyterian Church, Carleton Place, Ont., was born near Woodstock, Ont., May 9th, 1846. His parents are Michael and Jane (Armstrong) Scott, both natives of Langholme, Scotland. Mr. Scott received his education at the public school in East Zorra township, and in Woodstock Collegiate Institute, after which he taught school for two years. He then took a four years' course in the University of Toronto, from which he graduated B.A. in 1874. He then attended Knox College for three years, graduating in theology in 1877. He was ordained by the Presbytery of Ottawa, at Carleton Place, February 21st, 1878, and has since that time ministered to the spiritual wants of the membership of Zion Church. During his pastorate, the church has been enlarged twice, and in 1892, a magnificent manse was added. As a result of Mr. Scott's efforts in Carleton Place, the membership of the church has increased from 80 to 340. He is a Master Workman, and in politics an Independent. He was married, November 21st, 1878, to Miss Isabella C., daughter of Robt. Mills, Esq., of Toronto. His family consists of two sons and one daughter.

VICTOR ROY, architect, Montreal, Que., of the firm of Roy & Gauthier, was born at Quebec, in the year 1837. His father, Joseph Roy, dit Belleau, after the great fire in Quebec, in 1845, came with his family to Montreal, and there took the name of Joseph Roy only. His son, Victor Roy, received his education at the College of the Christian Brothers. While a young man, he entered the office of Mr. John Ostel, architect, later on, Ostel & Footner. At the age of twenty, he won the prize offered for the best design, for the magnificent residence of Sir Hugh Allan, of Montreal. In recognition of his merits, Messrs. Speir & Son, gave him a share in the business. He distinguished himself in Chicago, by designing Mr. Potter Palmer's grand hotel on State Street. In 1871, he was a victim of the great Chicago fire, losing everything, but full of courage, he opened another office under the name of Roy, Deforest and Fisher. Later on, under his own name, he entered the competition for the plan of the City Hall and Court House of Chicago, which cost over four million dollars, and notwithstanding the fifty-two competitors, he succeeded in entering the choice of the six best plans. He then went to New York, and from thence to Boston, where he entered a competition for the building of the State's Prison at Concord, Mass., which was to cost three million dollars. Again his plans were admired, and he failed only because of not being supported by influential people. In 1875, he came back to Montreal, and since then he has contributed to the embellishment of the city and its surroundings, in buildings of all kinds, among others, the Church and Convent of Ste. Cunégonde, the Church of St. Bridget, the Seminary of Ste. Thérèse, the College of Marieville, and others, He has been twice elected vice-president of the Architects Association, and in 1892, was elected president of the Association. He was married, November 18th, 1879, to Miss Helen Mary Rafter, daughter of the late John Rafter, merchant, of Montreal, Que.



REV. JNO. VICARS, B.A., T.C.D., retired clergyman of the Church of England, Cannington, Ont., was born in Dublin, Ireland, April 9th, 1827. He is the son of John and Eliza Vicars; the former was a grammar school teacher in the West of Ireland. Mr. Vicars began his education at the Grammar school, in Ennis county, Clare, and subsequently attended Trinity University in Dublin, from which he graduated in 1853. After his ordination his first charge was Acholl Colony, in the West of Ireland, but he was shortly after removed to take charge of the Dublin mission to the Roman Catholics. From thence he was brought out to Canada by the Right Rev. Dr. Cronin, first Bishop of Huron, Ont., and settled in London township, where he remained a short time, prior to his appointment to the pastorate of Lindsay, and parts adjacent, where he remained for about twelve years. Subsequently, he did missionary work in various parts of Ontario, until he was superannuated in 1889. During his missionary work, both in the Old land and in this country, he underwent many dangerous as well as humorous adventures, and has had the fullest opportunity of seeing all sides of the life of a pioneer minister, while engaged in the most radical reforms, and is known as one of the ablest men in his denomination. His life has been full of toil, zeal and loving service for those among whom he has labored, and his last days are gladdened by the knowledge that he yet lives in the affection of those to whom he has ministered. Mr. Vicars is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and Orange societies, and the present chaplain of the former order at Cannington, Ont. In politics he is a strong Conservative, and has the courage of his convictions. He has been married twice; first, to Miss Caroline Biggam, of Dublin, Ireland, in 1853; and second, to Miss Anna Bella Mitchell, of Millbrook, Ont. His eldest son, J. R. Vicars, Dominion Land Surveyor, has been in the employ of the Dominion Government for the past ten years.

LOUIS LABERGE, appointed Medical Health Officer of Montreal in 1885, was born in that city in 1851. He studied at the colleges of Terrebonne, Montreal, Ste. Thérèse and St. Mary's. He received his diploma in the Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery, was licensed by the College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1874. In 1889, he was delegated to France by the council to represent the city at the International Congress of Hygiene and Demography in Paris. He has made a speciality of the cure of stammering and other impediments of the voice. He is a member of the French Society of Hygiene of Paris, the American Public Health Association, the Medico-Chirurgical Society, and of the Microscopical Society of Montreal, is also one of the founders of the Canadian Association for the study and dissimination of Social Science. Dr. Laberge is a most efficient and pains taking health officer, and is not only admirably qualified for the duties of his responsible position, but is always on the alert to detect anything which may militate against the public health, and is anxious to have the best sanitary arrangements for the city adopted.



REV. HUGH BROWN, Presbyterian minister, Havelock, Ont., was born in Glasgow, Scotland, December 2nd, 1853. He came to this country with his parents, Hugh and Elizabeth (Nicol) Brown, in 1867, and settled in Toronto. Before leaving the land of the heather, he attended the Normal School and Stewart's Academy in Glasgow. He entered Knox College, Toronto, in the Fall of 1885, from which he graduated in April, 1891, and was ordained in October of the same year, at Havelock, where he has since remained. Mr. Brown's work up to this point, has been singularly successful. He has been abundantly fruitful in all departments of the work of the church, and has had a large increase in membership and has also had the pleasure of being the means of a marked improvement in the spiritual tone of all the services in connection with his pastorate. He thoroughly enjoys the work, and is much beloved by his flock. In politics, Mr. Brown is an Independent. He was married, June 3rd, 1885, to Miss Mary A., daughter of the late William Turriff, of Toronto. Mrs. Brown is of straight Scottish descent, as she and her parents were born in Scotland.

L.S. HENRI ARCHAMBEAULT, advocate, Montreal, Que., member of the legal firm of Archambeault & Chauvin, was born at St. Roch de l'Achigan, in the county of l'Assomption, September 25th, 1851. He is the son of the late Hon. Louis Archambeault, late Minister of Agriculture and of the Public Works Department of the Province of Quebec. He took a complete course of classical study in the College of l'Assomption. He received his law course in McGill College, which he finished with distinction. He afterwards continued the study of law with Mr. Désiré Girouard, M.P., who was one of the best jurisconsults. He was admitted to the Bar, standing first in his class in 1874. He then practiced in Montreal, in partnership with Mr. A. Bonin, who is at present in partnership with the Hon. L. O. Taillon, and after this, he became partner of the Hon. Horace Archambeault, his brother, and since 1892, has had for his partner Mr. L. A. Chauvin. He was married, on September 12th, 1878, to Miss Alexina Loranger, only daughter of the late Hon. Thos. Jean Jacques Loranger, late minister of the Cartier-McDonald administration, and formerly Judge of the Superior Court for Lower Canada. Five children have been born of this marriage. In religion, Mr. Archambeault is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative. He has never taken any active part in political matters, and has refused to run as a candidate several times, preferring to devote his time exclusively to his profession, in which he has been very successful. Mr. Archambeault would, doubtless, make a successful politician and statesman, but like many other eminent lawyers, if he devoted his energies in this direction, his reputation and skill as a legal practitioner would suffer thereby. For the last seventeen years, he has been engaged on important law suits, particularly those relating to the ancient French Law of Estates, as to successions. He has the esteem and confidence of his large clientelle as well as that of all his brothers at the Bar.

JAMES HERCHMER ROSS, publisher and proprietor of *The News*, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in Belleville, Ontario, May 22nd, 1859. He is a son of James and Caroline (Ketcheson) Ross, and a nephew of A.M. Ross, M.A., M.D., and E.S.L., of Toronto. His father was a successful lumber merchant in Belleville. Mr. Ross was educated at the public and high schools of his birth place. At the early age of thirteen years he began his apprenticeship to the printing business, in the office of the *Ontario*, of Belleville, and in 1873, took charge of the Trenton *Courier* for one year. He then removed to Toronto, and entered the Methodist Book Room, where he remained for nearly three years, during which time he was studying theology, and occasionally preaching, with a view to entering the Methodist ministry. After this, he had charge of a Methodist mission for one year on the Manitoulin Island. He subsequently spent two years in Manitoba, after which he removed to Victoria, B.C., where he put in one year on the Victoria *Standard*. He then removed to Vancouver, B. C., and established the first daily paper, *The News*, now the *News Advertiser* in that city. During the great fire which demolished Vancouver, in 1886, *The News* plant was completely destroyed, but the paper reappeared in three days. Shortly afterwards, he purchased the daily *Advertiser*, and united the two papers under the name of the *News Advertiser*, which he subsequently sold to the present proprietors, Messrs. Catton & Gordon. In the Fall of 1887, Mr. Ross bought *The News* of Smith's Falls, which he has conducted very successfully ever since, having greatly improved its appearance, increased its popularity, and more than doubled its circulation in five years. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and R.A. societies, and holds the office of vice-regent in the latter. In religion he is a Presbyterian; in politics an active Conservative. Mr. Ross was married in November, 1882, to Miss Mary Christie, of Winnipeg, Manitoba.

JOSEPH ALEX^ER EDWARD ASSELIN, M.D., C.M., Specialist in children's diseases, Montreal, Que., was born in Joliette, Que., August 10th, 1858. He is the son of Eusèbe Asselin and Elmire Cornellier, both of Joliette. The former is a merchant, and proprietor of an important seigneurie. Dr. Asselin received his classical education in Joliette College, and is a professor of clinics in children's diseases. He spent two and one half years in Paris, France, where he gave special study to this line, under the direction of Parrot, Bouchut, Simon, Descroizilles, and other distinguished specialists. He is also a director of the town dispensary of the Sisters of Providence, Montreal, an institution in which there were over 12,000 children treated since the year 1885. He is also physician of Orphelinat St. Alexis, corner Mignonne and St. Denis streets, is a member of the I.O.F., and is well and favorably known in the medical profession, and highly esteemed in the community generally. He was married, October 10th, 1883, to Miss Albina, daughter of Dr. Louis Laurier. His family consists of five children. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative.

FRED^{CK} W. MELLISH, architect, Galt., Ont., was born in that town, April 11th, 1860. His parents were Robert and Louisa Mellish, who were among the early Galt pioneers. Mr. Mellish obtained his education at private schools, and at Galt Collegiate Institute. He learned the trade of carpenter and builder, having in view from the beginning, the profession of an architect. He is a member of the Ontario Association of Architects, and is the only one in his profession in the town of Galt. He was the designer and architect in the erection of that beautiful and substantial building, known as the Galt General Hospital, which is a monument to his skill and good taste. Mr. Mellish has designed some of the best business blocks and private residences which have been erected in Galt of late years. He receives considerable patronage from adjoining towns, and bids fair to become prominent in his profession. He is an honored member of the Church of England, and is at present (1892), one of the sidesmen and also a Sabbath school teacher in Trinity Church. He is a strong temperance man, a member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, of the Episcopal Church, and an active Christian worker.

JOSEPH ADELARD DESCARRIES, M.P.P., advocate, licentiate in law, of Laval University, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Timothy, county of Beauharnois, November 7th, 1853. He is the youngest living child of the late Pierre Descarries and Elizabeth Gougeon. Mr. Descarries is a descendent of one of Canada's ancient families. The first of this family was married in Montreal, in 1654, his first born having as sponsors M. de Maisonneuve, founder of Montreal, and M^elle^ Mance, founder of l'Hôtel-Dieu. Mr. Descarries received his primary education at St. Timothy, and took his classical course in the Montreal College. He studied law in the office of Sir Alexander Lacoste, when in partnership with the late Hon. Judge Benj. Globensky, following the law course at McGill University, as well as that of Laval University. He was admitted to the Bar on the 11th July, 1879. He now practices in partnership with Mr. L. G. A. Cressé, and the law firm of Cressé & Descarries is one of the most important in Montreal. He was secretary to l'Union Catholique, also to the Notre Dame section of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society. He is president of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society in Lachine.

He is also a member of several benevolent societies. Mr. Descarries was a candidate for parliamentary honors, in 1883, in opposition to the late Hon. Mr. J. A. Mousseau, then Prime Minister of the Province of Quebec, and was defeated by only 100 majority, after a campaign of four months' duration. He was elected member for the county of Jacques-Cartier to the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, in opposition to the Hon. Arthur Boyer, by a majority of 107 votes, on March 8th, 1892. In politics, he is a Conservative, and he has since 1881, devoted himself actively to political matters, but never allows this to interfere with his professional business. He was married, June 21st, 1881, to Marie Célina Elmire Le Pailleur, eldest daughter of Alfred Narcisse Le Pailleur, Esq., of Lachine, His Grace the Archbishop of Montreal, M^gr^ Ch. E. Fabre, officiating.

WILLIAM HENRY FROST, proprietor of the Malleable Iron Works, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in that place, November 10th, 1847. He is the youngest son of Ebenezer and Caroline (Harwood) Frost, both natives of Vermont, U.S.A. Mr. Frost began his education at the public and grammar schools of Smith's Falls, subsequently attended the Potsdam Academy, at Potsdam, New York, and afterwards the Commercial College, Montreal, Quebec. In 1871, he went to Chicago, and engaged as cashier in the hardware establishment of Edwin Hunt & Sons, with whom he remained until 1876, when he returned to his native town and accepted the position of cashier for the firm of Frost & Wood, for one year. In 1878, he formed a partnership with Mr. Chas. Jones, and established the Smith's Falls Malleable Iron Works. In 1884, he bought the interest of Mr. Jones, and has since owned and controlled the entire business. The demand for his goods has become so great, that he is compelled this year (1892) to double the capacity of his already large plant. His manufactures include all kinds of malleable iron goods, which he ships to all parts of this great Dominion. His present large and prosperous trade, has had a steady and healthy growth, and is the result of skill, untiring energy and close attention to business. Mr. Frost has received a large share of public honor, at the hands of the electorate, having been elected councillor in 1882, mayor in 1883, again councillor in 1889 and 1891, and again elected mayor in 1892. He is a thoroughly representative man and being well versed in municipal matters, discharges the duties of mayoralty with satisfaction to the public, and with credit to himself. He is a member of the Royal Arcanum, and holds the office of regent in that order. In religion he is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Reformer. Mr. Frost was married, June 6th, 1877, to Miss Fanny Graves, youngest daughter of the late Judge E. B. Burton, Manchester, Vermont, U. S.

JEAN GEORGES GODFROI DE TONNANCOUR COFFIN, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in the town of Joliette, October 4th, 1862. He is a grandson of the late prothonotary of Montreal, and when ten years of age was adopted by his cousin, the Hon. Judge Baby, then Minister of Inland Revenue, under the government of Sir John A. Macdonald. He received his education at Joliette College and Ottawa University, and subsequently studied law at Laval University, and was called to the Bar in 1884, after which he established in Montreal, the legal firm of Coffin & Delfausse. He is now (1892) practising alone, and represents some of the largest estates of old French families in the province. When seventeen years of age, he entered the Canadian militia as second lieutenant, and was soon promoted to the adjutancy, with the rank of captain of the 83rd Battalion Infantry of the Line. Mr. Coffin entered politics as soon as he finished his college course, and was active in the Conservative interest and a leading member of the old Club Cartier and the Club Conservateur. His position in law, politics and military matters, indicate that he will yet render much valuable service.

WM. MACKINTOSH, I.P.S. for North Hastings, Ont., was born in Montreal, in 1844, of Scottish parents. He began teaching in 1862, and has ever since, as teacher and inspector, been connected with public schools in Ontario, Northumberland, Victoria and Hastings counties. In 1870, he attended the Toronto Normal School, and, at the end of the year, received his first-class (Grade A.) certificate. He taught during the three following years in Northumberland county, and was appointed to his present responsible position in 1874. Mr. Mackintosh has, by the faithful discharge of his duties as Public School Inspector, won the admiration and esteem of members of his own profession, and of the public generally. He was for nearly two years president of the Provincial Teachers' Association and for one year president of the inspectors' section of that body. In religion he is a Presbyterian, and an elder in St. Peter's Church, Madoc. He was for two years president of the North Hastings Sabbath School Association. He is in politics a Liberal, moderate and independent in his views. He was married in 1879, to Miss Agnes Cowie, of Beverly, Ont.

JOS. ANTOINE STANISLAS BRUNELLE, M. D., C. M., Montreal, Que., was born in Boston, Mass., August 20th, 1852. He is the son of Anthony Brunelle and Mary A. Poulin. The former was a prominent brickmaker around the city of Boston, for twenty years, and subsequently settled in St. Hyacinthe, where he conducted a model farm. Dr. Brunelle was educated at the College of St. Hyacinthe, having been a pupil of the Rev. Father Tétreault, in literature, and Canon Ouellette and Rev. Father Dumesnil, in philosophy. He entered upon the study of medicine in 1871, in the School of Medicine and Surgery, Montreal. He has also been a pupil of Von Buren, and graduated in Victoria University; studied in New York, Boston and Philadelphia, and held the position of house surgeon in the Hôtel-Dieu for two years. He was called to replace the late Dr. P. Munro, as lecturer in surgery in 1877, and took the chair of anatomy at Concours in 1880. He was called to the chair of surgery on the death of Dr. Munro, and has since kept that position in the School of Medicine, Victoria Faculty. He spent the year 1889, in Europe, studying the administration and work of universities and hospitals in Ireland, Scotland, England, Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland and France, and he is a member of the Dominion Medical Association, also of the Medical Chirurgical Society, Montreal, and surgeon to Hôtel-Dieu Hospital and Good Shepherd Asylum. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, in politics he is an Independent Liberal, and took an active part in the campaign of 1886, as orator. He is always ready to defend the rights of the people, and works for the benefit of the country, but refused nomination for the county of Hochelaga on two occasions, notwithstanding that strong influences were brought to bear upon him. He was married in 1875, to Marie Marguerite Armide Almeda Marsan Lapierre, daughter of the late Dr. Jos. Alphonse Lapierre. His family consisted of 8 children, 4 of whom are deceased.

CHAS. B. FROST, senior member of the firm of Frost & Wood, manufacturers, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in that place August 26th, 1840. He is the son of Ebenezer and Caroline (Harwood) Frost. The former a native of Brattleboro, Vt., U.S.A., who removed to Ontario in 1836, and three years latter settled in Smith's Falls, and started a foundry on a very small scale. In 1846 he formed a partnership with Alexander Wood, which was the beginning of the present well known firm of Frost & Wood. On the death of Mr. Ebenezer Frost, in 1863, his sons Charles B. and Francis T. Frost succeeded to his interest in the business. Though quite young men at the time they showed decided business ability, and a very successful career was predicted for them. In January, 1886, Mr. Wood retired from the firm, and since then the management has been in the hands of the Frost Bros. Our subject was educated at the public and grammar schools of his native town, and at the age of eighteen entered the employ of the company as clerk. In the early history of the firm they confined their operations to the production of stoves and plows, but, in 1861, began to manufacture mowing machines, and subsequently reapers and binders and other agricultural implements, but of late years have ceased to manufacture stoves. The business of Frost & Wood has assumed large proportions, and the reputation of their various lines of goods has become so favorably known that they now have connection with all desirable parts of the Dominion. Mr. C. B. Frost, whose portrait appears on this page is following largely the example of his father, and owes his success, chiefly, to his unremitting attention to business, straight forward dealing, and generous treatment of all who meet him in the way of business. He is in religion a member of the Presbyterian church; in politics a Reformer. Mr. Frost was married, October 3rd, 1878, to Miss Emily, only daughter of George P. Harwood, Bennington, Vermont, U.S.A.

HENRI GÉRIN-LAJOIE, advocate, Montreal, was born in the city of Quebec, October 18th, 1859. His father was Antoine Gérin-Lajoie, who was assistant Parliamentary Librarian, and a well known literateur, and the author of *Jean Rivard*, which was received with marked favor, not only in the Province of Quebec, but also in France. Mr. Lajoie followed a complete course of classical studies at the College of Ottawa, and in 1878, obtained the degree of B.A. He graduated at Laval University as licentiate in law in 1881, and was called to the Bar of the Province of Quebec the same year. Since that time, he has practiced his profession with success in the city of Montreal, and is now a member of the firm of Chapleau, Bisaillon, Brosseau & Lajoie. This noted law firm holds a leading position in the Conservative party for the district of Montreal, and controls an extensive and wealthy clientelle. Mr. Lajoie is a Roman Catholic in religion, and in politics a Liberal Conservative. He was married in 1887, to Marie, eldest daughter of Sir Alexander Lacoste, Chief Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench for the Province of Quebec.

ALPH. RAZA, architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, October 7th, 1846. His father's name was H. P. Raza, who was a builder and contractor. His great grandfather came to this country in 1721, from Bordeaux, France, but was originally from Spain. He was educated at Archambault's Commercial School, under the instruction of Mr. Garneau. In 1861, after leaving school, he went into the office of Messrs. Fowler & Roy, architects, and remained with them three years. He then, in 1864, entered the office of the late W. T. Thomas, architect, remaining with him eight years. He commenced business for himself in 1872, and has had a large patronage. He is now working for both the Quebec and Ottawa governments, on important buildings. Mr. Raza is in politics a Conservative, and in religion a Roman Catholic. He was married, in 1875, to Miss Mina Montrait, by whom he has three daughters. In 1890, Mr. Raza took a European tour, visiting England, France, Germany, Italy, in fact all important places on the continent. He is one of the leading architects in the Province of Quebec, and his ability is acknowledged by all who know him.

CHAS. SMITH, proprietor of the Campbellford Roller Flouring Mills, was born in Boston, Lincolnshire, England, February 16th, 1840. He is a son of John and Frances (Jissop) Smith. The former was a very successful English farmer, now deceased. The latter is still (1892) living in England at an advanced age. Mr. Smith received his education at the common schools in England, emigrated to America in 1851, and settled in Peterboro, Ontario, where he served his apprenticeship to the milling business with the late Edward Piplow. He then spent three years in Rochester, N. Y., and Lasalle, Illinois, after which he returned to Ontario, and subsequently made a trip to Great Britain and France. On his return from Europe, he bought a mill at Colborne, Ont., which he ran for three years with gratifying success. In 1868, he purchased two mills at Warkworth, where he carried on business so successfully for twelve years, that he made sufficient money to place himself on a good financial basis. In 1881, he bought the Campbellford Flouring Mills from Robert Cockburn, and in 1883, had the misfortune to have this valuable property destroyed by fire, but he at once arose to the emergency, and by his persevering energy, soon overcame this drawback, and in 1884, he rebuilt the mills on the modern improved plan, and has now the best known facilities for manufacturing flour. Mr. Smith has devoted his attention largely to local trade, and by his energy and perseverence has built up a very desirable business. He belongs to the A.O.U.W., S. of E., and masonic societies, and is a past master of the latter order. He is a life-long Reformer, an adherent of the Methodist Church, and deeply interested in the cause of education in Campbellford, where he has given much valuable aid to the public and High schools. Mr. Smith was married, February 25th, 1869, to Miss Christina, daughter of John Snodgrass, Esq., of Warkworth, Ont. His family consists of two sons and one daughter.

WILLIAM HEWITT MELDRUM, snr., member of the firm of Meldrum & Davidson, merchant millers, Peterborough, Ont., was born in Waterloo county, Ontario, July 28th, 1850. He is a son of John Meldrum, who came from Aberdeenshire, Scotland, to America, and settled in Waterloo county about 1842. Mr. Meldrum received his education at the public and Grammar schools, near Berlin, and when only thirteen years of age, began his apprenticeship to the milling business with Henry Snider, at Connestoga, where he remained for seven years. He was afterwards engaged with the well known firms of Thomas McKay & Co., Ottawa; D. Allan, Guelph; the Messrs. Ogilvie, Goderich; Knowlton & Shange, Alliston; Gilchrist & Hume, Galt; and then went back to Connestoga, and remodeled Mr. Snider's mill, by putting in about the first setts of rollers, made by Goldie & McCulloch, of Galt. Mr. Meldrum subsequently worked nearly two years at Ayton, Ont., during which time he began to design mills for W. & J. G. Grey, of Toronto. Leaving Ayton, he spent about a year and a half at Paris, and in 1886, removed to Peterborough, where he became associated with his present partner. The business of Meldrum & Davidson, has become a popular and prosperous enterprise, and has assumed proportions much beyond the expectations of its proprietors. The firm has extensive connections with the Eastern and Lower Provinces, the West Indies and Great Britain, and in addition to exporting flour, does a general grain business. Mr. Meldrum belongs to the C.O.F., I.O.F. and I.O.O.F. orders. He has been for two years a member of the town council, and president of the Board of Trade, and in 1890-'91, was vice-president of the Dominion Millers' Association. He is in religion a Presbyterian, in politics an Independent. He was married, Dec. 25th, 1877, to Miss Margaretta Hooper, of Guelph. Mr. Meldrum's early success is likely to make him one of the best known millers and produce men in Canada.

JAC. AUGUSTE LE BLANC, M.D., was born at St. Jacques de l'Achigan, Montcalm county, August, 29th, 1853. He is the son of Pierre Le Blanc and Marie Joset Majeau. He was educated at L'Assomption College, Que., and began his medical studies in 1875, and graduated in Victoria University of Cobourg in 1879. He has a very large maternity practice, and is professor of obstretrical clinics in the School of Medicine and Surgery, Montreal, since 1881, was professor of anatomy in 1884, and lecturer in tocology in the same institution since 1887. He is also physician to the Hôtel-Dieu of Montreal since 1885, and attending physician to the Sisters of Providence, one of the largest female institutions in this country, and also to other religious institutions, besides a large general practice. Dr. Le Blanc is medical examiner of the Equitable Insurance Co., one of the most important institutions of that nature on the continent. He is court physician of St. James Court No. 196, Catholic Order of Foresters, court physician of St. Hubert Court No. 687, I.O.F. and medical examiner of many other benevolent societies. He was married, in 1881, to Miss M. R. A. Boyer of Montreal.

CHARLES BRUCHESI, LL.B., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, October 11th, 1860. He received his education first, with the brothers of the Christian schools, and afterwards in the college, at Montreal, and subsequently studied for one year in the Faculty of Arts, of Laval University, at Quebec. In each of these institutions, he stood well in his classes, passing the various examinations with great credit to himself and teachers, and in some subjects taking honors. He began the study of law, July 11th, 1881, and was admitted to the profession of advocate in 1884, with the title of LL.B. He has since been very active in his profession, and has secured a large and profitable clientage, his clients becoming more numerous, as his skill and painstaking habits become better known to the public. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and in politics a stanuch Conservative, and takes great interest in the welfare and progress of his party, doing effectual work whenever his assistance is needed. He was married, October 11th, 1887, to Elmire Desnoyers, eldest daughter of Mathias C. Desnoyers, Police Magistrate and Judge of Sessions in the city of Montreal.

REV. THOMAS NIXON, St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in Belfast, Ireland, August 28th, 1856. His parents are Arthur and Margaret (Lewis) Nixon, who emigrated to Canada in 1858, and settled in Peel township, Wellington county, Ont., where they carried on farming successfully for many years, and are now (1892) living retired in the village of Hollin, Ont. Mr. Nixon is in the fullest sense a self-made man. He began his primary education at the public school in Glenallan, and continued it by private tuition for two years, under efficient teachers. In 1877, he entered upon the course in Knox College and Toronto University, graduating in 1880. He then taught school for one year, after which he proceeded with his theological course in Knox College, Toronto, graduating in 1884. He was a scholarship man in Church and Bible history, each year of his theological course. He spent the summer of 1882, as student missionary from Knox College, to five thousand of the railway men on the C.P.R., between Brandon and Regina. His earnest and loving service, was much appreciated by those hard handed toilers of the iron way, and the memory of his pleasant and helpful ministry will long linger with them as a benediction on their lives. Mr. Nixon was ordained in 1884, in Stouffville, where he labored successfully for three years. He then removed to his present charge at Smith's Falls, where he is having a large measure of success, and is much beloved by his people. He gives his earnest and careful attention to every department of his work, and is known as a man who "wears well." He is plain and unassuming, a man whose calling is recognized more by his deportment than by the cloth he wears. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. Society, and in politics an Independent. Mr. Nixon was married, June 24th, 1885, to Miss Margaret, eldest daughter of the late Wm. Mitchell, Esq., of Markham, Ont. His family consists of two sons.

ALEXANDER BARTLETT, Police Magistrate, Windsor, Ont., was born in the county of Aberdeen, Scotland, December 31st, 1822. He is a son of Alexander and Mary (Redford) Bartlett. He obtained his education at the parish school, where he was thoroughly grounded in the English branches as well as in the rudiments of classics and the higher mathematics. Mr. Bartlett came to this country in 1841 and settled at Amherstburg, then one of the largest towns in Western Canada, where he remained until 1853 when he removed to Windsor, where he has since resided. In 1858 he was appointed town clerk of Windsor, and held that office until November, 1878, when he received from the Mowat administration the appointment of Police Magistrate of the town. He fills this important office with the ability and dignity so appropriate and essential to a proper discharge of its responsible duties. He is quick in grasping the details of evidence and reaches his conclusions and delivers his judgments promptly. In 1873 he was prominently connected with the organization and completion of the present system of water works in Windsor, one of the best systems in the province. He has also been connected with all the important municipal enterprises since the incorporation of the town. During the period in which he was town clerk he prepared almost every by-law that passed the council, and his 20 years' experience have given him a complete knowledge of municipal laws. Besides the offices mentioned, he has held that of secretary of the Public and High School boards since 1858. Mr. Bartlett is a man whose industry, public spirit and honorable aims, have left a strong impress on the material and moral life of the community. In religion he is a member of the Presbyterian Church and an official of high standing in that body. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal and a strong supporter of the Reform party. He was married, in 1851, to Miss Helen McDonald, daughter of the late James Noble, Esq., of Amherstburg, Ont.

JOHN A. HARPER, editor of the *Register*, Norwood, Ont., was born in that place, April 26th, 1861. He is the son of James and Eliza (Morrow) Harper. His father, uncle and grandfather were well known contractors and builders, and are still living at Norwood. Mr. Harper was educated at the public and High schools of his birth place, and served his apprenticeship to the printing business in the office of the *Examiner*, Peterborough, Ont., and subsequently worked on the Peterborough *Times*, Toronto *Grip* and *Canada Presbyterian*. In 1881 he bought the *Register* from Thomas Burke and has now, outside of the large towns, one of the best equipped newspaper offices in the Province and the increased circulation of his paper and his extensive job printing business testify to the excellent quality of the work done. He takes a prominent part in the interests of the Masonic order, and is a Mason in high official standing. He was married, March 9th, 1887, to Miss Lillian Ethel, daughter of the late James McWilliams, of Peterborough, Ont. His family consists of one daughter. He is in religion a Presbyterian, and in politics an Independent.

MELVIN DELOS CROOKER, L.D.S., Tilsonburg, Ont., was born in Nelson township, county of Halton, Ont., February 21st, 1848. After leaving the public schools, he was connected with Dr. F. French, a leading dentist in the city of Hamilton, and since that time has been studying or practicing dentistry. Mr. Crooker is a self-made man, having completed his course, and obtained his degree, by his own energy and perseverance. He is a graduate of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario, having graduated in 1877. He has the leading dental practice in Tilsonburg and surrounding country. He connected himself with the Methodist Church at Tilsonburg, in 1888, and is an earnest and consistent Christian man. He is librarian of the Sabbath School, and is one of the representatives on the Quarterly Board of the church. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and C.O. C.F. societies, and treasurer of the latter order. In politics he is a Reformer, and takes an active interest in the affairs of his party. Mr. Crooker has been married twice; first, to Miss Clara Fanning, in May, 1873; and second, to Miss Mary A. Hamilton, on September 8th, 1880.

JAS. EDWIN MACDOUGALL, financial and managerial agent, Montreal, Que., was born in Belmont, near London, Ont., October 26th, 1854. His parents were John W. and Martha Mary Burrows Macdougall. He was educated in the common schools of Ontario, and was first employed as an operator of the G.T.R. at Trenton, was subsequently train master at Belleville, train despatcher on the Intercolonial Railway at Rivière du Loup, assistant travelling agent I. C. R. at Toronto, assistant accountant and cashier C. P. R., Winnipeg, Man., until ill health compelled him to give up the latter position. He then returned to Galt, Ont., and in association with S. R. Metcalfe, of Berlin, and W. H. Jones, of Guelph, bought out the old established business of John Fleming, of Galt. He subsequently removed to Montreal, and became general agent for Canada of the Northern Pacific Railway, with headquarters at Montreal. Later on, he founded the Johnson Magnetic Paint Co. of Chicago, and is now president of the same. He also founded the Victoria Investment Co. of Montreal, of which he is at present manager. He is also secretary and general manager of the National Mutual Loan and Building Society, director and secretary of the Automatic Telephone and Electric Co. of Montreal, and director Merchant's Telephone Co. of Montreal. The large number of important enterprises in which he is interested, speaks volumes for his executive ability, and shows him to be one of the busiest men in the Dominion. Mr. Macdougall is comparatively a young man, but in the matter of experience and capability in carrying out important business enterprises, he has lived longer than the average man at twice his age. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church; in politics he is a Liberal, and at present is secretary of the Liberal Club of Montreal. He is also a member of the A.O.U.W. and Royal Arcanum. Mr. Macdougall was married, January 1st, 1878, to Emily, only daughter of Thomas Jarvis, Belfast, Ireland.

ALEXANDER COWPER HUTCHISON, R.C.A., architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, April 2nd, 1838. His parents were William and Helen C. (Hall) Hutchison. They were born in Ayrshire, Scotland, the former coming to this country in 1833, and the latter about two years later. His father was a builder, and in company with Mr. James Morrison, erected some of the principal buildings in Montreal. Mr. Hutchison attended school in Montreal, until twelve years of age, when he commenced an apprenticeship with his father as stone cutter, also attending a private school during the first two winters of his apprenticeship. At the age of twenty, he was entrusted with the superintendency of the stone work of Christ Church Cathedral, on St. Catherine street, in Montreal, at that time a very special work. He is a natural mechanic and draughtsman, while added to that is the fact, that he has had competent teachers. He afterwards removed to Ottawa, where he was engaged for three or four years on the Parliament Buildings in charge of the stone cutting. He then left the capital and returned to Montreal, to take charge of drawing classes for architectural and geometrical drawing in connection with the Mechanics' Institute there. He afterwards conducted the same classes in connection with the Board of Arts and Manufactures, and while engaged at this work, he decided to commence practice as an architect in 1863, and soon secured a large practice. He was appointed a member of the Royal Canadian Academy by the Marquis of Lorne, about 1880. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and for about fourteen years has occupied the position of elder. He has taken a great interest in the formation of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects, and at present holds the position of secretary. He takes no part in political matters. In 1862, Mr. Hutchison was married to Margaret Burnet, of Cobourg, Ont. His family consists of one daughter and two sons, all living.

NELSON MULLOY, M.D., Preston, Ont., was born in the township of West Gwillemsbury, county of Simcoe, Ont., February 15th, 1842. His parents were John and Mary Ann (Daly) Mulloy. Dr. Mulloy began his education at the public schools and continued it at the Normal School, Toronto. He taught for several years, and taking private tuition in classics, commenced the study of his profession. He graduated from Victoria University in 1866, taking the degree of M.D. He began practice in Doon, Waterloo county, locating in Preston in 1870, where he has since remained and conducts the leading practice of the town. In addition to his professional duties, he has found time to serve as member of the Council and School Board for years. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., A. O. U.W., C. O. F., I. O. O. F. and is medical examiner for each of these societies. Dr. Mulloy is an adherent of the Methodist Church and in politics a Reformer, but does not take an active part in political matters. He was married Aug. 3rd, 1869 to Miss Elizabeth Chapman. His family consists of five daughters: Laura Edna, Carrie Gertrude, Marion Gladys, Jennie Louise and Alice Mildred.

REV. PATRICK CONWAY, parish priest, Norwood, Ont., was born in Dromod, Ireland, in September, 1829. He is the son of the late Francis and Ann (Grattan) Conway. Father Conway received his primary education at the private school in Dromod. He studied philosophy in France, and theology in St. Mary's Seminary, Baltimore, U.S.A. He was ordained priest in St. Catharines, Ont., by Bishop De Charbonnel, July 15th, 1855. His first charge was St. Catharines, and surrounding country, where he remained for about ten years. He was pastor of St. Paul's, rector of St. Michael's Cathedral, and pastor of Brockton Road churches in Toronto. He was rector of the Cathedral at Peterborough about six years, and in March, 1888, was appointed to his present charge, where he has labored successfully, and brought up the mission to a very desirable point of success, and has also established a church at Havelock. Father Conway is now (1892) somewhat past his prime, yet he still gives promise of many more years of usefulness and activity, and those among whom he labors, will, doubtless, be glad to have him among them for a long time to come.

MAXIME BEAUSOLEIL, M.D., Montreal, Que., was born April 6th, 1854, at St. Félix de Valois. He obtained his classical education at Joliette, P. Q., and graduated Doctor in Medicine and Surgery, at l'École de Médecine et de Chirurgie de Montréal, in 1880. In 1884, he was appointed lecturer on histology at the above school, which position he held until 1888, when he succeeded the late Dr. Emery Coderre in the chair of Materia Medica and Therapeutics, which he taught with success during two years. In the meantime, he was visiting physician to the Hôtel-Dieu and editor of *Le Journal d'Hygiène Populaire*, and chief editor of *La Gazette Médicale de Montréal*, from 1887 to 1890. Dr. Beausoleil has been the champion of the independence of the teaching of the medical sciences. During one year he fought the battle for his Alma Mater with conviction, firmness and success. Seconded by over 200 students in medicine, he kept at bay the united forces of the advocates of the University federation. The intervention of the Pope, aided by Premier Mercier, put an end to the fight in 1890. Dr. Beausoleil is one of the founders of the Société de Médecine Pratique de Montréal, founded in 1889. Since 1889, he has been a member of the board of governors of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, of which he is the Registrar. He was married, in 1877, to Olive Palmyre, fourth daughter of the late Lieutenant-Colonel A. B. Lavallée, and step daughter of the late Colonel Casimir Testard de Montigny. He has had eight children, of whom two daughters and one son are living. In politics, Dr. Beausoleil is a Reformer. He is also a recognized writer on medical science and has contributed articles to most of the newspapers of the province. He is also the author of two pamphlets on the Laval imbroglio, published in 1889. Dr. Beausoleil is not only a recognized authority in professional circles, but he is popular with his patients as his large practice shows. In religion he is a Roman Catholic.

CAMILLE LAVIOLETTE, M.D., was born in the town of St. Jérome, Que., September 30th, 1866. His father, Godfroi Laviolette, was warden of the Penetentiary of St. Vincent de Paul, when the revolt of the convicts took place in 1886, and was dangerously wounded by the convicts for refusing to open the prison gates. His mother was the daughter of Lieut. Col. Globensky, who, at the head of 300 men, so gallantly routed an American army of four thousand men, at the battle of Chateauguay, during the war of 1812-'13. Dr. Laviolette received his classical education at Ste. Thérèse College, and at St. Michael College, Toronto, and in April, 1887, graduated at Laval University. He was a diligent student, standing well in his classes, and always passed his examinations with credit to himself, as well as to his tutors. The following May, he left for London, where he studied under Sir Morell Mackenzie, after which he went to Paris, Berlin, Leipzig, Frankfort, Vienna and Brussels, where he was in attendance at the great hospitals, and studying under eminent specialists in the cities mentioned. This he continued to do for three years, confining himself to the study of the diseases of the ear, nose, throat and lungs, and since his return to Montreal, in November, 1890, has devoted his time and attention to these diseases, and been honored with signal success. Dr. Laviolette is one of the most expert practitioners in his special line, and although still a young man, has secured a large and a constantly growing practice. He is a member of the *Société Française d'Otologie et de Laryngalogie de Paris*, and to the Universitat's Clinik of Berlin, and corresponding member to different medical societies of Europe and America. He is chief physician of the nose and throat Dispensary of the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, and is also physician at the Deaf and Dumb Institute of the same place. He was married to Miss Juliette Drolet, daughter of Gustave Drolet, Esq., of Montreal, Que.

HORACE MANSEAU, M. D., Montreal, Que., was born in Nicolet, Que., in 1860. His parents were François and Sophia (Masse) Manseau, who were among the most highly respected citizens of their day. The ancestors of the former came from France, where they occupied honorable and prominent positions; those of the latter were English, and rendered eminent service to the Crown, which later on, was substantially recognized. Dr. Manseau closed his college education at Nicolet, and secured his medical education in the Montreal Medical and Surgical School. He was leader in his class throughout his graduating course, and also possessed considerable literary ability. After obtaining his M.D. degree, he practised in the United States for some five years, and became well known for his ability. The doctor, in manner, is courteous, bright and most agreeable. He is a thoroughly educated and highly skillful physician and surgeon, and is rapidly pushing his way to the front ranks in the medical profession. He is a member of the Canadian Militia with the rank of captain in Regiment No. 65, C.M.R. In religion he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal.

DR. J. B. DESLAURIERS, physician, surgeon and druggist, Montreal, Que., was born August 26th, 1869, in that city. He is a son of Frank Xavier and Kate (Rawly) Deslauriers. His father is a well known wholesale and retail butcher, of Montreal, and a sportsman of some celebrity, a successful business man, and esteemed by all who know him. Dr. Deslauriers obtained his primary education at the public schools of Montreal, and received a thorough commercial and classical education at St. Laurent College. He received his professional education at School of Medecine and Surgery, Faculty Laval of Montreal, graduating M.D. on June 21st, 1892. He at once commenced the practice of his profession in Montreal. and has been successful in obtaining a large and growing practice. Dr. Deslaurier had a very successful educational career, and passed creditable examinations, and this, together with the good start made in actual business, bids well for a successful future. In religion, the Doctor is a Roman Catholic and in politics a Liberal. He was married, August 8th, 1892, to Mary Annie Rambert, daughter of Charles Rambert dit St. Martin, of Montreal.

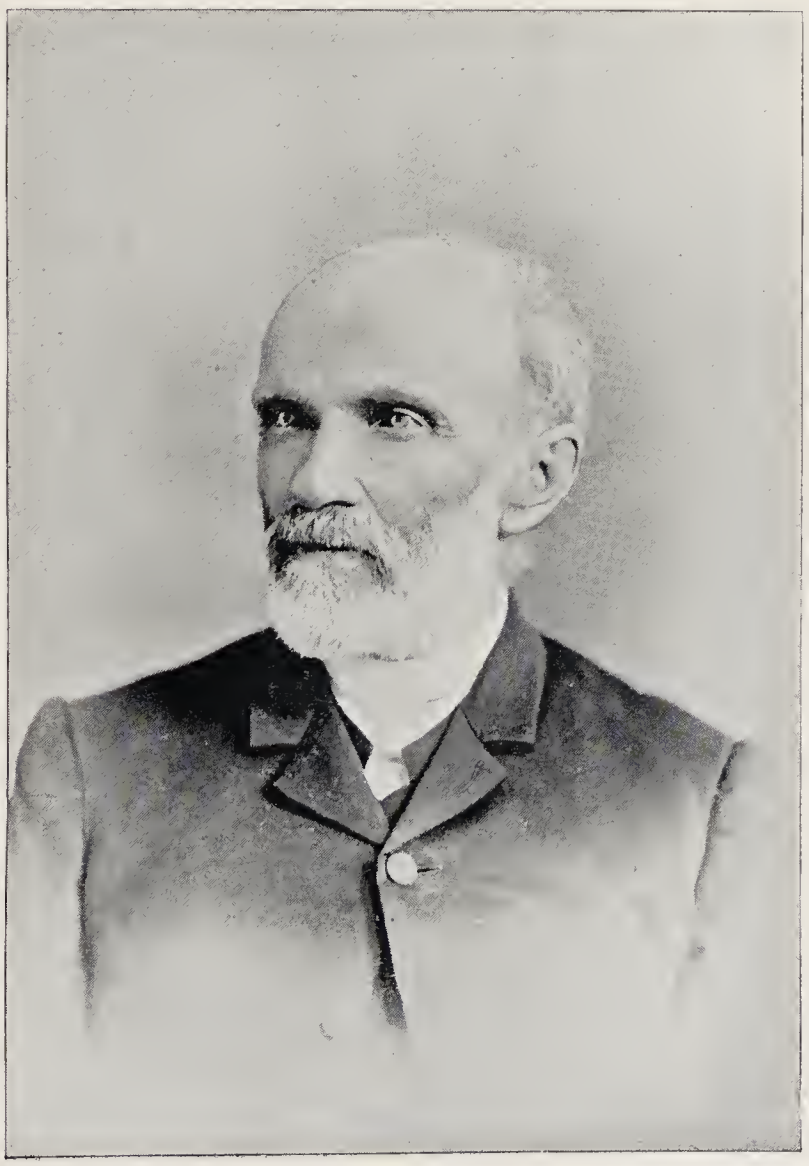
JOHN NICOLL, bridge inspector, G. T. R., Palmerston, Ont., was born in Rattray, Perthshire, Scotland, October 30th, 1834. His parents, David and Ellen Macintyre Nicoll, were very industrious and highly exemplary people, who were notably kind to the poor, and took a special interest in those who were cursed with an appetite for strong drink. The former was foreman in a responsible mechanical position all his life, and was also an earnest temperance advocate. Mr. Nicoll attended the parish schools of Rattray, and latterly an excellent private school at Blairgowrie for two years. After this, and while yet in early manhood, he learned the trade of carpenter. He came to Canada in 1859 and began to work for the railway company, in whose employ he has since remained. He was soon very favorably regarded by the railway company on account of the industry and intelligence which he brought to bear on his work, and speedily advanced to the position of foreman, which he held for ten years, after which he was promoted to the position of bridge inspector, and has performed the duties of that office with every satisfaction to the company. Since 1871, he has superintended the erection of many fine structures, such as the railroad bridges at Fergus, Wingham, Port Elgin, Paisley and other places. Mr. Nicoll is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and a Reformer in politics. He has been president of the Palmerston Reform Association for years, and is past master in Blair Lodge of the A. F. & A. M., and now treasurer of the same. He is also a member of the school board in Palmerston, and has occupied a seat in the town council. His excellent career is a good example to our Canadian boys, of what a careful and faithful performance of duty will accomplish. His entire life has been made up of sterling honesty, invincible integrity, and a most commendable interest in all good work. In 1860, Mr. Nicoll was married to Miss Janet Connell, daughter of Mr. Connell, of Johnston, Renfrewshire, Scotland.

JAMES ESSON, photographic artist, Preston, Ont., was born in that place, August 10th, 1853. His parents were George and Jane (Jordan) Esson, both natives of Scotland. Mr. Esson was educated at the Preston public school. In early life he commenced to learn the cabinet business, and afterwards that of baker, but neither of these occupations suited him, for he was evidently born to be an artist. When he reached the age of twenty-one, he became enamored of the art business, and began at once taking views, architectural, then natural scenery, making himself famous for his stereoscopic views, and has been called the "Wilson" of Canada. He has travelled extensively through the United States, and has taken views of most of the striking scenes on the continent of America. About the year 1884, he began portrait work, and immediately commenced to attain distinction, and while Preston is a small place for an artist of his ability, yet he has customers from Galt, Guelph, Berlin, Waterloo, Ayr, Doon, Blair, Hespeler, and other towns; a great many also come to him from the larger cities, such as Toronto, Hamilton and Brantford. Speaking of his atelier, the *Progress* of March, 1892, gives the following: "Taking hold of the photograph business in 1884, James Esson gradually added new scenery and the best instruments he could procure. His work soon began to attract more than local attention, and in three years after getting the business, he had gained for himself the name of being one of the best photographers in the Dominion, and now owns the finest photographic atelier in the Dominion, and one of the finest on the continent. He still continued making views of Canadian and other scenery, and to the excellence of his work in this line is largely due his present reputation as a photographer. These views went into all hands, from the peer to the peasant. Among his patrons, may be noticed, the Marquis of Lorne and the Princess Louise, the leading members of the Senate and Local Legislature.

HORMISDAS J. BRODEUR, M.D., was born in Varennes, Que., February 18th, 1861. His parents were Honoré Brodeur, a prominent merchant in Varennes, and Octavie Mongeau. Dr. Brodeur received his primary education in Varennes College, and subsequently entered upon his classical course in the Montreal Seminary. He was admitted to the study of medicine in 1880, and graduated four years later, from the Victoria Medical College, Montreal. During the next three years, he practised in Granby, Que., after which he went to Europe, where he spent three years under the masters of France, Germany and England. He devoted himself to the study of skin diseases, and Genito-Urinary diseases, under professors Fournier & Besnier, of St. Louis Hospital; and professor Guyon, of Nœckr Hospital, Paris, France. Dr. Brodeur was a member of the International Medical Congress in 1889, in Paris, and in 1890, in Berlin, and is now practising in the city of Montreal, where he occupies a prominent position. He has made rapid progress in his profession, and will, doubtless, take a leading position in the foremost ranks of the medical fraternity. He is, in religion, a Catholic.

THE LATE J. A. MASSUE, seigneur of St. Aimé, was born in St. Aimé, county of Richelieu, on the 18th October, 1860. He was educated in St. Mary's College, Montreal, and Fordham College, in the the State of New York. He went to Europe several times, and in 1881, he had a trip around the world, that lasted eighteen months. In the autumn of 1889, he was elected Federal Deputy of Richelieu county, to replace Captain Labelle. He was present at the session of 1890 only, as he took sick in the spring of the same year. He was confined to his house for about one year, and died at St. Aimé, on the 10th of April, 1891. And thus a young man in the prime of life was cut off, not however without having accomplished much, for at his death many remembered the good deeds he had done, and while regretting the loss of a true friend, determined to emulate his good example. Mr. Massue was the brother of Mrs. Drolet, wife of Chevalier Gustave A. Drolet, and of Mrs. Lussier, wife of Mr. A. A. Lussier, Member of the Legislature, for the county of Verchères. In his will, Mr. Massue named his friend Mr. J. Z. Resther, sole executor and administrator of his estate.

REV. JAMES CARMICHAEL, M.A., pastor of St. John Presbyterian Church, Norwood, Ont., was born in Tollcross, near Glasgow, Scotland. He is the son of the late William and Cecilia Grant Robertson Carmichael. The former was a descendent of the late Earl of Hyndford, and the latter was a granddaughter of the youngest son of the House of Seaforth, who took part in the rebellion of '45. Mr. Carmichael came with his parents to Canada in 1842. After a stay of two years in Montreal, Que., they removed to Perth, Ont. Here he attended the public school, and was for a short time an apprentice in the office of the Perth *Courier*. Then he attended the Grammar school, taught by the late Mr. McIntyre. His parents returning to Montreal in 1853, he accompanied them, and was employed in his father's car shops there for a short time. Thereafter, he secured a position as reporter on the staff of the Montreal *Daily Transcript*, and subsequently on other dailies. He entered the Arts course of Queen's University, Kingston, in the Fall of 1858, taking first class honors in mathematics the following Spring. Returning to Montreal, he became editor of the *Daily Review*, published by the late Mr. Kennedy. After a regular course in McGill University, he was graduated B.A. in 1867. Awakened previously by the preaching of Rev. Mr. Hammond, the evangelist, he resolved to become a preacher of the Gospel, and entered the theological department of Queen's College in 1867. After spending two sessions in Queen's, he took his third session in Morrin, under the late Dr. Cook. He was ordained and inducted into the pastorate of St. Andrew's, Markham, November 10th, 1870, where he labored with great success for twelve years; here he was chairman of the High School Board for nine years. He entered on his present pastorate, 19th of October, 1882. In politics Mr. Carmichael is an Independent Reformer. He was married, Oct. 25th, 1871, to Sarah, eldest daughter of the late Arch. Barker, of Markham, Ont.



ALPHONSE D. AUBRY, Lieutenant-Colonel, M.D., practicing physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born August 14th, 1849, at St. Hermas, P.Q., His father is Jean B. Aubry, and his mother's maiden name was Elmire Larose de Guire. Dr. Aubry received his primary education at St. Hermas High School, afterwards taking a full course of classics and sciences at St. Thérèse College, P.Q. He entered the Victoria School of Medicine and Surgery in 1869, and graduated M.D. at Victoria University in 1873. He began the practice of his profession in Ellenburgh, New York, but preferring his native land, remained there only a few months, and then settled at Côte St. Paul, P.Q., and finally removed to Montreal, where his eminent ability finds full scope. Dr. Aubry has always been a very active general practitioner, and since his arrival in Montreal has secured a very large practice. He is connected with several medical and benevolent societies, holding important offices in some of them. He belongs to the Roman Catholic Church, and for many years has been attending physician, to the Reverend Sisters of the Congregation of Notre-Dame. He is also a charter member and medical officer of the C.O.F. of Montreal. In politics, he is a Liberal Conservative, and has taken an active part in all the elections of his county since 1873, always doing successful work for the party candidate. The Doctor has also always taken a lively interest in the militia of Canada, holding a commission as lieutenant in 1869, and went to the front with his regiment in the last Fenian raid. He is now Lieutenant-Colonel in command of 85th battalion. He is a natural born soldier, and has always stood high in military circles. He was married, in 1873, to Imogene M., daughter of J. W. Wavens, of Ellenburgh, N. Y., by whom he had two sons and one daughter. In 1890 his wife died, and he was married again in July, 1892, to Margaret V., third daughter of the late Thomas J. Connolly of New York city.

JOHN GARNETT, notary public, Tilsonburg, Ont., was born in Patrington, Yorkshire, England, Oct. 27th, 1820. He was educated at the private and grammar schools in England. He was converted, July 18th, 1838, in the Old Land, and was made a local preacher soon after. He was married to Miss A. P. Jackson, April 3rd, 1843, and started for Canada the next day. Shortly after his arrival in Toronto, he accepted work from the Primitive Methodist Church, and travelled the circuits of Whitby, Markham, Brampton and Darlington. He was ordained in 1846, but ill health compelled him to retire from active work some ten years later. Locating in the West where there was no Primitive Methodist body, he joined the Wesleyan Church and has been a local preacher from that time until now (1892). He is a trustee of the Methodist Church in Tilsonburg, and secretary-treasurer of the Board. Mr. Garnett is a man of superior qualities of head and heart, and has done much towards moulding the moral sentiment of the community. In Feb., 1877, Mrs. Garnett died, leaving two sons and two daughters. Subsequently Mr. Garnett married his present wife, Miss Angeline Anderson, of Charlotteville, Ont.

MAURICE PERRAULT, architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, June 12th, 1857. His parents were H. M. and Octavie (Masson) Perrault. His mother was the daughter of Mr. Damase Masson, head of the well known firm of wholesale grocers in Montreal. Mr. Perrault was educated at the Montreal Seminary, where he took the full curriculum of ordinary studies, and afterwards took a course in engineering and land surveying, together with the study of his profession. He succeeded to his father's business in 1877, and has since devoted himself exclusively to his profession. His time has been taken up chiefly in the line of churches, convents and other large structures, and his firm is considered as one of the best in the Dominion. Until September 3rd, 1892, Albert Mesnard was his sole partner, but since then and for the future, the firm name is Perrault, Mesnard & Venne, having introduced into the firm as junior partner, one of their former clerks. Mr. Perrault, is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal. He was married, on September 24th, 1879, to Miss Sara Hébert, daughter of C. P. Hébert, a well known wholesale grocer.

REV. DAVID WISHART, pastor of St. Peter's Presbyterian church, Madoc, was born in Culross, Scotland, July 10th, 1827. He was trained for college in the Geddes Institution there, and had for his classmate and rival the famous Robert Wallace, LL.D., now member of parliament for East Edinburgh. After spending two years in earning money and securing the Bursary in his native place, he took his four years' literary course in the Universities of St. Andrew's and Glasgow. He especially distinguished himself in the mathematical and natural philosophy classes. Thereafter, he took his four years course of Divinity in the Free Church Hall, Edinburgh. After being licensed to preach the gospel, he was for a while assistant to the Rev. Mr. Taylor, of Pultneytown, Wick, and Rev. Mr. Gillespie of Kincardine, and then he labored for a year at Gorebridge, near Edinburgh, where he had a prospect of getting settled. But the Rev. I. Bonar, D.D., convenor of the Colonial Committee, laid his hands on him, and offered to send him to any of the British Colonies. In this way he came to Canada. The same year he was settled in Madoc, where he has labored ever since. His first church there, after being enlarged and improved at considerable expense, was consumed in 1873, by a fire that laid the half of the business part of the village in ashes. The new church, begun the following year, was completed ten years later, costing $25,000, and is one of the most beautiful structures in the province. He built St. Columba and St. Paul's churches in the same township, and got them erected into a separate charge. The North Hastings mission field, his creation, has four churches, with as many missionaries now filling them, and a great work is now in progress in that hitherto barren field. In 1857, he married Miss Maria Torrance, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Thomas Torrance, of Montreal. His only surviving child, is Dr. Wishart, of Toronto, the well-known specialist.

EDOUARD AMEDÉE POITEVIN, M. D., C. M., Montreal, Que., professor of descriptive and surgical anatomy at the Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery, and member of the Medical Faculty of Laval University, was born on the 12th October, 1859, at Montreal. He is descended from French Canadian parents, his father being the late Edouard Arthur Poitevin, formerly of "L'Œuvre et Fabrique de Notre-Dame de Montréal." He obtained his education at Archambault's School, and in 1871 entered the Montreal College, and graduated with distinction. In 1877 he attended his philosophical studies at the Montreal Jesuits' College, and in 1879 began his medical education at the Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery. Meanwhile he entered the office of his uncle, J. C. Poitevin, M.D. In 1883 he graduated with first class honors and received the degrees of M.D., C.M. Devoted to his profession, though young, he soon enjoyed a large and lucrative practice. On June 16th, 1885, he was appointed professor of botany and demonstrator of anatomy at the Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery, occupying those chairs for three years. On June 23rd, 1888, he was unanimously elected professor of descriptive and surgical anatomy, which chair he still occupies. Dr. Poitevin is visiting physician to the Montreal Hôtel-Dieu Hospital, attending physician to many dispensaries in the city, consulting physician to the Maternity of Ste. Pélagie, and for eight years attending physician and surgeon to the Montreal Bethléem Asylum, under the direction of the Grey Nuns. Dr. Poitevin is a Conservative in politics, and belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. He was married, May 18th, 1886, to Miss Elmina Edesse Rodier, eldest daughter of Lieut.-Col. P. A. Rodier, of Montreal. He has one son. Dr. Poitevin has gained his present honorable position by honest labor and study. He has a high standing in the medical profession and is well known as physician and surgeon in many counties of the Province of Quebec.

ETIENNE CHARLES PATRICK GUY, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, December 31st, 1862. His parents were Michael Patrick Guy and Julie F. Schiller. His father was born in 1809, and is the oldest practicing notary in the Province of Quebec. He was Lieutenant-Colonel 10th Battalion Montreal Militia during the troubles of 1837, and was seriously wounded in the Gavazzi riots in Montreal. Capt. Benjamin Schiller, the grandfather of our subject, served with great distinction under Colonel de Salaberry, at the battle of Chateauguay. Mr. Guy was educated in the High School, Montreal, and followed his law course in Laval University, graduating LL.B. in 1883, and has since devoted his time to the building up of an extensive business, and is known as a careful and painstaking man in all matters committed to his charge. He takes a great interest in military affairs, and holds the commission of captain in the Victoria Rifles of Canada. In religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics a Conservative, but does not take an active part in political matters. Captain Guy has a bright future before him.

JOHN SMITH, contractor and proprietor of the planing mills, Tilsonburg, Ont., was born at Walton, Yorkshire, England, November 16th, 1843. Mr. Smith received his education in the English public schools. He came to Canada in 1868, and in 1870 located in Tilsonburg, where he has since remained. When he first located in that town, he and his brother George, conducted a planing mill for a time, but they afterwards built a saw mill and carried on both enterprises. The mill was burnt in 1876 and rebuilt immediately, but was again consumed by fire in 1891; but with characteristic energy, Mr. Smith built a third mill, which he conducted alone, his brother having left Tilsonburg in 1880. He has been one of the most extensive business men in the town, and one of its most enterprising citizens. He has had a large share of civic honors, being councillor for ten years, and in 1885 was elected to the mayoralty, and has spent one year in the Council since that date. He is a member of the Church of England and in politics an ardent Reformer, taking an active interest in the affairs of his party. He was married, Jan. 13th, 1886, to Mrs. M. Burn, of Tilsonburg.

REV. ALEX. HUGH SCOTT, M.A., pastor St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Perth, Ont., was born in Martintown, Glengary county, Ont., April 20th, 1853. He is a son of William and Mary (Hamilton) Scott. The former was born in Scotland, and the latter is a native of Ontario. Mr. Scott received the rudiments of his education at the public school, after which he attended the High School at Williamstown, Ontario. He subsequently entered Queen's University, Kingston, from which he graduated in arts in 1875, and received the degree of M.A. from the same institution three years later. He was ordained August 22nd, 1878, in Knox Church, Owen Sound, where he remained doing very successful work for ten years. During that period the membership of Knox Church received an increase of 570 members, the social and spiritual life of the people was greatly enlarged, and the work of the church was wonderfully extended. On leaving Owen Sound, Mr. Scott was addressed by his congregation as follows:—"Better years than these, speaking as a congregation, we never expect to see in this world, for they have been years of great prosperity." In the Spring of 1888, he received a unanimous call to his present charge, and has since conducted his pastorate with marked success. Mr. Scott is the author of a very valuable work, entitled, "Ten Years on My First Charge." This book is well calculated to be a valuable aid to Christian work, and of special assistance to pastors. For a young man, he has travelled extensively. In 1884, he visited Great Britain and Ireland, as a special press correspondent. In 1888, he was sent as a representative of the Ontario Young Men's Christian Association to the Stockholm Conference, and travelled over Denmark, Norway and Sweden, and in 1891 he took an extensive pleasure trip through France, Belgium and Holland. He was married, December 24th, 1879, to Miss Agnes Schuyler, daughter of John Greenshields, Esq., of Danville, P.Q.

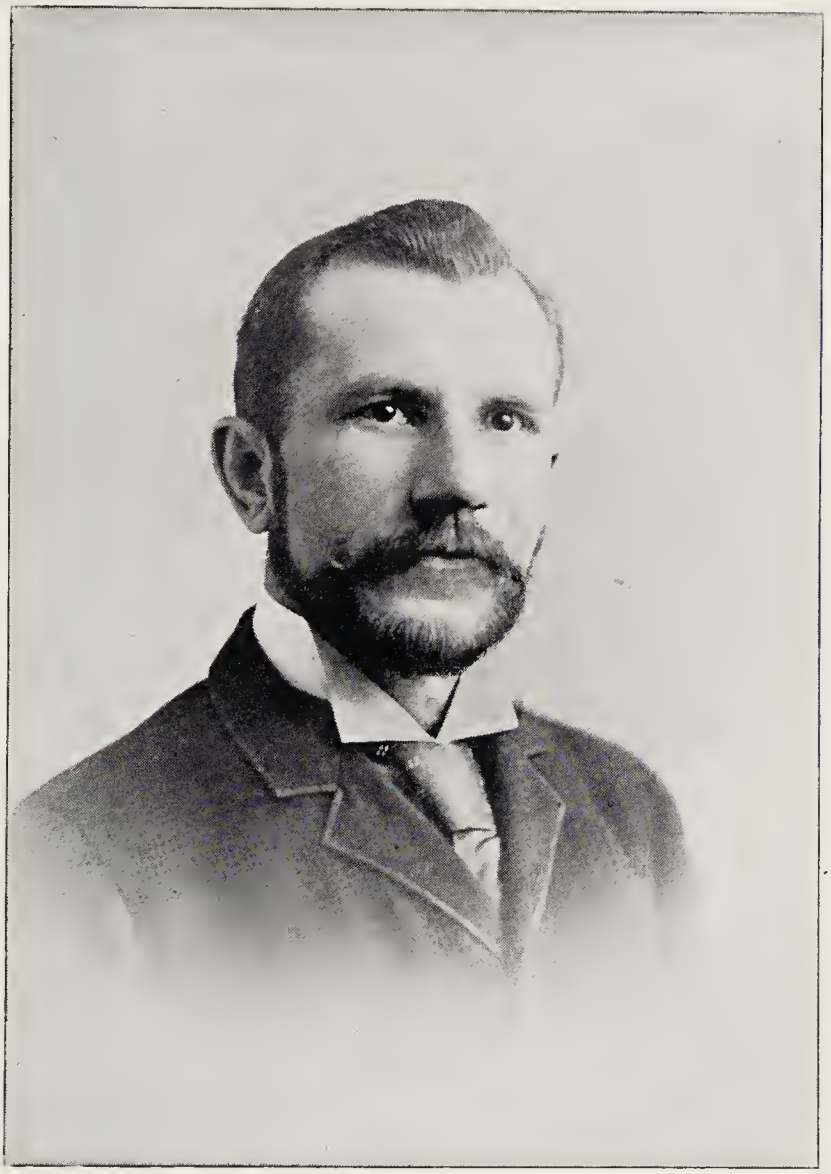
REV. RICH. LANGFORD STEPHENSON, M.A., rector of Perth, Ont., was born in Perthshire, Scotland, December 17th, 1826. He is the eldest son of Robert and Margaret (James) Stephenson, of Ballyvochan Castle, county Limerick, Ireland. Mr. Stephenson is the last of the old race whose illustrious ancestor, Capt. Oliver Stephenson, was given valuable estates in Ireland, by Queen Elizabeth, 'for signal services rendered against the Earl of Desmond.' He was educated by the Rev. T. Elmes, B.A., at Limerick, and at Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland. He came to Canada in June, 1849, and received the degree of M.A. from Bishop's College, Lennoxville, in 1856. He was ordained deacon at Lennoxville, February 24th, 1850, and priest in Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, March 15th, 1851, by Bishop Fulford. He was then appointed to the mission of Buckingham, Lower Canada, where he remained for three years. He subsequently labored at Pakenham, Ont., nine months, Hawkesbury, three and a half years, and was appointed to his present charge, October 8th, 1857. In addition to his successful pastoral labors, the magnificent church and rectory at Perth, are monuments to his energy and enterprise. For the successful completion of these, he feels especially indebted for generous assistance to the Hon. Senator Peter McLaren, of Perth. In 1861, Mr. Stephenson was elected to succeed the present Bishop of Ontario, as rector of St. Peter's Church, Brockville, but declined. He was also appointed rural dean of Renfrew by Bishop Lewis, but decided not to accept the appointment. He has been chairman of the Collegiate Institute Board for thirty-four years, but owing to ill health, was forced to resign in 1892. Although beyond his prime, he gives promise of much future usefulness, and his friends hope to retain him for many years to come. In politics he is a Conservative. Mr. Stephenson was married, September 23rd, 1857, to Rosa C., daughter of the late John Lawless, Esq., of Woodview, Cloyne, county of Cork, Ireland.

JEAN ZÉPHIRIN RESTHER, of the firm of Resther & Son, architects, valuators and arbitrators, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Hyacinthe, Que., March 16th, 1857. He is the son of Jean-Baptiste Resther, the well known architect, etc., who is also his partner. He received his education at the Catholic Commercial Academy, Montreal, and at St. Mary's or the Jesuit College of the same city. He commenced the study of his profession with Mr. Geo. Browne, and then with Mr. Victor Roy, who was at the time his father's partner. In 1878, he became his father's partner which partnership has continued until this day, the firm doing a large business in the line of their profession. He was for some time employed in the engineer's department of Q. M. O. & O. R. and also had a similar position on the C. P. R. Mr. Resther is at the present time the treasurer of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects. He is also the sole executor and administrator of the estate of his friend, the late J. A. Massue, who was in his life time seigneur of St. Aimé, and member of the Dominion Parliament for the county of Richelieu.

ALFRED WILBROD A. BEAUMONT-JOUBERT, LL.B., notary and commissary, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Vincent de Paul (Laval), Quebec, July 26th, 1864. He is a son of Alfred Wilbrod Joubert, in his life time a merchant in Terrebonne, and M. R. Georgianna de Beaumont, both deceased. Mr. Joubert was educated at Joliette College, and graduated Bachelor es-Lettres and es-Sciences (B.A.) at Laval University, Quebec. He studied law in the offices of Hugh Brodie and H. A. A. Brault, Montreal, taking the degree of LL.B. at Laval, and was admitted as notary for the Province of Quebec, October 19th, 1889, and is now (1892), laying the foundations of an important clientage. He is also a lieutenant of the 83rd Battalion of Joliette, and honorary secretary of Mont-Royal Council, in the Catholic Benevolent Legion, also a member of *L'Alliance Française*, of Paris, France. In religion he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics a Liberal Conservative, being secretary and treasurer of the Club des Jeunes Conservateurs, is one of the founders and secretary of the Club Cartier, in Montreal, and is otherwise well and favorably known.

FRANCIS ALPHEUS DRAKE, M.D., C.M., Norwich, Ont., was born in South Cayuga, Haldimand county, Ont., February 23rd, 1863. His parents are Nelson and Maria (Fry) Drake. The former was a merchant at South Cayuga. Dr. Drake began his education at the South Cayuga schools, continued it at Brantford Collegiate Institute and matriculated at the University of Toronto, in 1883, taking honors in mathematics and modern languages. From 1883 to 1886 he taught school on a second-class certificate. In the latter year he commenced to study for his profession at Trinity Medical College, graduating M.D., C.M. in 1890, and the same year became a "Fellow" of that institution with first-class honors. After graduating he practiced a short time in South Cayuga, then removed to the city of Brantford, but a tempting offer being made him of a more lucrative position in Norwich, he removed thither and entered partnership with Dr. W. H. Franks, an old practitioner of that town. Though he has been but a comparatively short time in Norwich, his character and ability have won for him the respect and esteem of all classes and he has been very successful in practice. He is an honored member of the Methodist Church, having joined that body on profession of faith when a mere youth. He is at present a member of the quarterly official board and also class leader of the church at Norwich. He takes an interest in the Young People's Association, and is vice-president of that organization. He is an earnest temperance worker and active in all that tends to the moral and spiritual upbuilding of the community. Dr. Drake is a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F. and Home Circle, and is attending physician for the I.O.F. As the doctor is yet in the morning of life, he has before him, if spared, a career, full of opportunity to place the world under obligation to his energy and skill, and ample time in which to become eminent in his profession and do much to bless and elevate humanity.

SENECA PITCHER, merchant, Norwich, Ont., was born in Warren, New York State, December 27th, 1824. He is the Son of Alva and Charlotte (Cunningham) Pitcher, both of that state. The former died when our subject was eight years of age, when the latter moved to Upper Canada and settled in the township of Burford, Oxford county. Mr. Pitcher gained a knowledge of the elementary branches of education in the public schools and supplemented it with private study. He spent the greater part of his youth in farming, but subsequently served as clerk for a short time in the village of Norwich, afterwards engaged in the lumber business and for about ten years conducted saw mills on shares, and in 1854 commenced mercantile trade, which he continued successfully until 1876, when he retired from business. He has had a good share of municipal honors, being elected reeve in 1878 and served five years in that capacity. He was also Justice of the Peace, and has done service to the community as trustee of the public school. He was one of the provisional directors of the Port Dover and Lake Huron Railway, and for a time was connected with the sedentary militia, and held in succession the offices of ensign, lieutenant and captain, and retired at the time when a change was made in the military system. In 1885 Mr. Pitcher moved to the township of South Norwich, where he carried on farming for four years. While there he was a member of the township Council. In 1890 he left his two sons on the farm, and returned to the village and opened a general store and has since conducted a large business. In religion Mr. Pitcher is an adherent of the Methodist Church, in politics a decided Reformer and firm in his political views. In 1879 the citizens of Norwich, presented him with an elegant silver service, as a token of their recognition of his services as reeve. He was married, January 13th, 1856, to Miss Phœbe, daughter of Solomon Lossing, Esq., of Norwich, Ontario.



WILLIAM HANSON, Manager in Canada for the Traveler's Life and Accident Insurance Co., of Hartford, Conn., Montreal, Que., was born in Fowey, Cornwall, England, April 14th, 1851. With his brother the Rev. Charles Hanson, he emigrated when a boy of thirteen years and settled in Stratford, Ont. He subsequently removed and entered the book and stationery business in Napanee, where he remained ten years. He then went to Toronto, and was appointed by the company which he now represents, as agent. When the important position of manager for Montreal opened, he was appointed to that position, and has filled it with marked ability for the last twelve years. Under his management this company occupies the foremost place in Canada in their particular line, and judging from his past record, this position will be maintained. In religion, he is a member of the Methodist Church, and is interested in all branches of church work. He was secretary-treasurer of the Trust Board of the new Douglas Church in the West End, and still holds that position. Mr. Hanson has scarcely reached his prime, but promises to be a man of marked influence in the future.

CHARLES JOHN EDGAR, M.D., C. M., physician and surgeon, Sherbrooke, Que., was born in Napierville, Que., December 13th, 1862. His parents were Charles and Noami (Stocks) Edgar. Dr. Edgar is of English and Irish descent and was educated in the Napierville district school, and in the Institute of La Grande Ligne. He took his medical course in McGill College, Montreal, graduating in 1887. He then practised for two and a half years in Inverness, county of Megantic, Que., after which he removed to Sherbrooke, where he has practiced very successfully ever since. Besides being health officer for a large district surrounding Sherbrooke, he is surgeon to the Nicholas Mining Co.. of Capelton, Que. His paper on "Hæmorrhagie Measles," read before the Canadian Medical Association in Ottawa, in 1892, elicited very complimentary comment. Dr. Edgar is, in religion, a Methodist, and is a member of the C. O.F. and S. O. E. orders, and is a man of influence. He was married, May 18th, 1887, to Maud, daughter of the late Dr. W. Stuart, of Napierville. His family consists of two sons and one daughter. Dr. Edgar is, in politics, a Conservative.

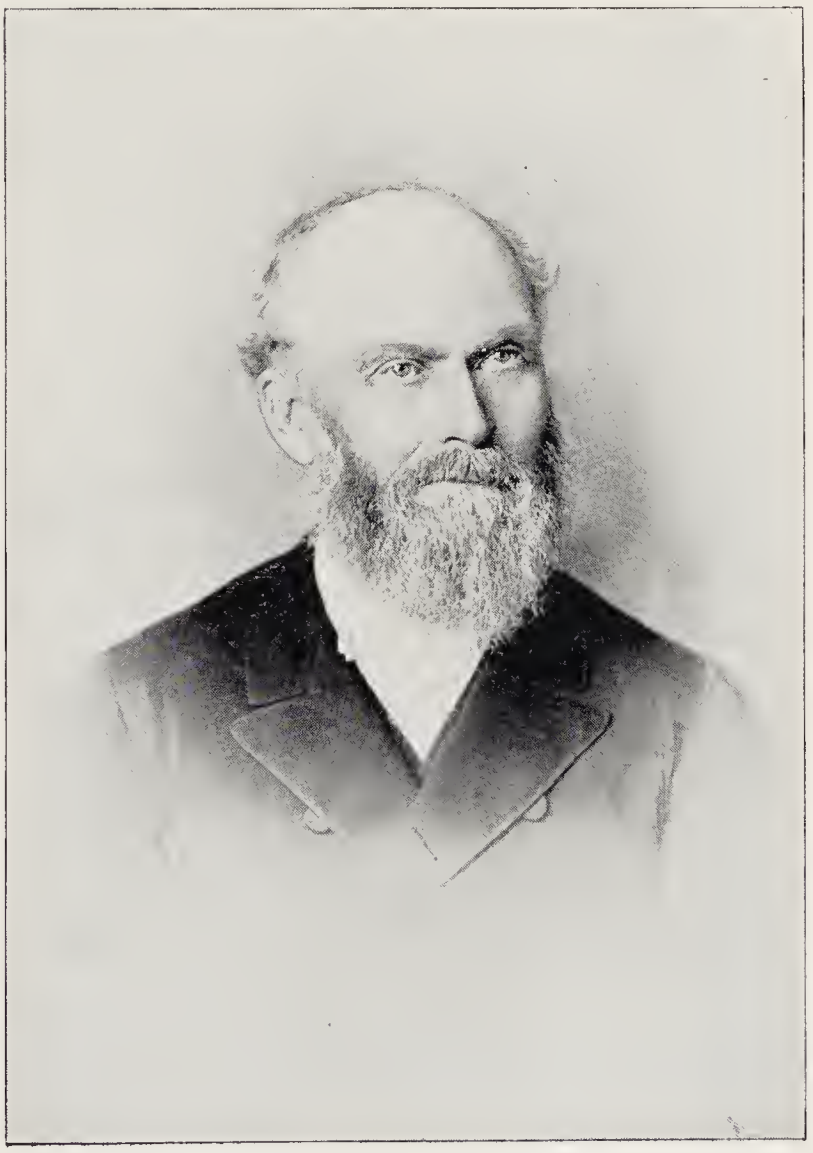
WILLIAM MERRILL, builder and contractor, Norwich, Ont., was born near Batavia, New York State, U.S.A., February 27th, 1817. Mr. Merrill was educated in the private schools in this country, and moved with his family to Norwich, in 1833. He spent his early life on a farm and when twenty-two years of age, started a cooper's shop in Norwich township, which he conducted very successfully for twelve years. He then engaged in the lumber business in Burford township, where he erected a saw mill, door and sash factory, and cheese box manufactory, the latter being the first of the kind opened in Canada. In 1885 he moved to the town of Norwich, continuing the building and contracting business and supplied his material from his mill near by. For a time he was the senior member of the firm of Merrill & Son, and later Merrill & Co. The latter partnership still continues (1892). Mr. Merrill has built a great many public buildings and a large number of the best churches in Ontario. He has been township councillor, and school trustee of Norwich for a great many years, and has taken an active interest in the affairs of the community and country. He was converted in his fourteenth year, and at once connected himself with the M. E. Church in Canada, and has remained in connection with the Methodist body until now, always taking an active interest in all christian work. He has been in connection with the quarterly official board almost constantly, and has been class leader, recording steward and sabbath school superintendent for many years, in fact he has held almost every office in the gift of the church. Mr. Merrill, has throughout his entire life, been an active temperance worker, and has been associated with nearly all the temperance organizations. He was a member of the first temperance society formed in the township of Bertie. He is in politics an active Liberal. He was married, June, 1844, to Miss Eliza Jane Woodrow. His family consists of three daughters and one son, all living.

THOMAS ROBERT ATKINSON, captain and adjutant of the 39th Battalion Norfolk Rifles, Simcoe, Ont., was born in the township of Ancaster, county of Wentworth, August 24th, 1854. He is the son of Thomas and Mary (Ballantyne) Atkinson. His education was begun at the public schools, continued at the High School, Simcoe, and finished at Queen's University, Kingston. In early life he learned the trade of sculptor, and when twenty-two years of age, commenced business for himself, in which he was very successful, and while prosecuting his work, spent his spare moments in study, and passed the matriculation degree in Queen's University. Shortly after this he became a member of the 39th Battalion Norfolk Rifles, and was made an officer from the start. From his connection with his battalion, until now, he has taken a very active interest in military matters. He was made captain in 1889, and adjutant in 1892. At the inspection of the Brigade in Niagara, in 1891, by Major-General Herbert, he had the honor of having the best company in the Brigade, in fact, the only one in Canada considered worthy of a place in the Blue Book, by way of example. His company, on winning the Officers' Challenge Cup of the Norfolk Rifles Association, for target shooting, three years in succession, presented this beautiful cup to him as a token of their esteem. Captain Atkinson is the proprietor of the Gore Marble Works, Simcoe, the largest business in that line in Western Ontario. He fills orders from the chief cities of the Dominion, including Manitoba and the North West. The Captain, in connection with his other accomplishments, is now a member of the Law Society of Ontario. He is an adherent of the Methodist Church, and in politics is an Independent. He is also a member of a number of societies amongst others of the A. F. & A. M., I. O. O. F., True Blue and Masonic orders, and is Royal Arch Mason in the latter. He was married, February 4th, 1880, to Miss Alice, daughter of M. R. Steele, Simcoe, Ontario.

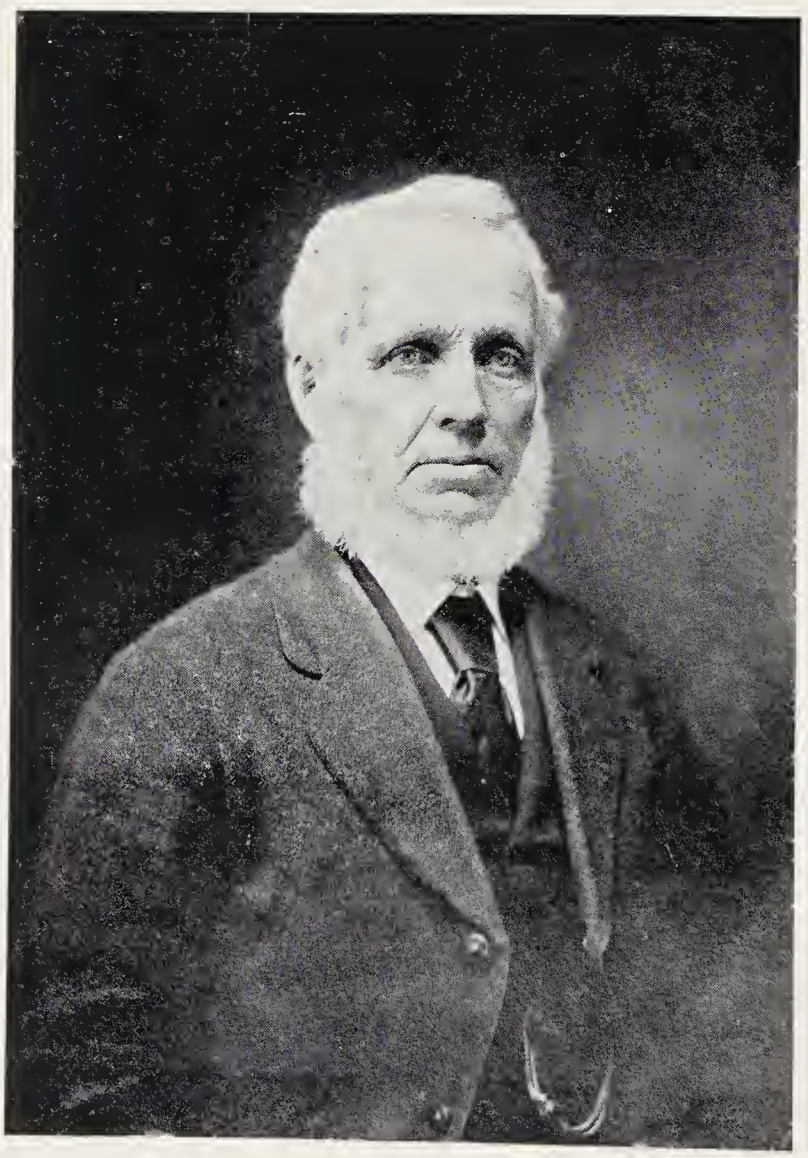
VALMORE LAMARCHE, notary, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Roch de l'Achigan, in the county of L'Assomption, on the 13th day of March, 1858. He is a son of that well known notary, Denis Lamarche, of the village of St. Roch. Mr. Valmore Lamarche, was educated at the public schools, and at L'Assomption College, taking a thorough commercial and classical course, and graduating with distinction. He also took a three years' course at Laval University, studied law in the offices of Hétu & Dumouchel and J. L. Coutlée. He was admitted to the practice of law at Montreal, on May 19th, 1881, and immediately began the practice of his profession in that city, where he is now well known, not only by the profession, but by the business community generally. Mr. Lamarche, has in his twelve years practice, showed himself to be a thorough painstaking lawyer, and has by diligent attention to his profession, secured a large and a growing practice, and as he is still a young man, doubtless good things are yet in store for him. In religion, Mr. Lamarche is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He is also the president of the Canadian Social Club.

O. F. MERCIER, M.D., physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, December 1st, 1856. He is a son of Joseph Mercier and Loe (Gauthier) Mercier. The former was for many years the proprietor of one of the leading carriage manufactories in Montreal. Dr. Mercier received his early education at Jacques Cartier Normal School, and his classical education at Montreal College, and at St. Mary's College. He entered upon his medical education at Laval University, Montreal, from which he received his degrees. After this, he spent a term at the Medical Faculty in Paris, also in London, England. He returned to this country fully qualified to discharge the duties of his important profession. He is a member of the Anatomical Society of Paris, and assistant-secretary of the *Société de Médecine*, Montreal, and surgeon to the Notre-Dame Hospital. Dr. Mercier has not yet reached his prime, but if his past career may be taken as an indication of his future success, he will, doubtless, take a leading position in the medical profession. He religion, he is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. The doctor has conducted a large and important practice for many years.

REV. THOMAS S. HOWARD, Methodist minister of the Indian mission, New Credit, Ont., was born in London, December 23rd, 1824. His father, Samuel Howard, conducted a prosperous farm in Middlesex county, where the first seventeen years of our subject's life were spent. Mr. Howard was educated in the London public and High schools. After obtaining a first class teachers' certificate, he taught for some five years in London township. After this, he embarked in mercantile business in London for a short time. In 1841, he was converted and joined the Methodist Church. Two years later, he was licensed as a local preacher, in which capacity he labored for twelve years. At the end of this time, he realized his call to the ministry, and offered himself to the Canada Conference, and was received on probation in 1856. Having travelled a year previous, he was ordained for special purposes the same year, and received into full connection with the Conference in 1859. Since then, he has served the following charges: Strathroy, Mount Brydges, Warwick, Gosfield, Amherstburg, Romney, Mitchell, Cooksville, Orangeville, Glanford, Oakville, Welland, Hagersville, Watford, Fairfield, Townsend, and his present charge. Mr. Howard has been very successful in building churches and parsonages, and the handsome edifices at Oakville and Orangeville, among many others, were built under his superintendency. He is also an earnest and effective preacher of the Gospel, and numerous conversions have occurred on his different circuits. The great glory of his ministry, has been in the conversion of sinners and the upbuilding of the church. His activity does not appear to have diminished, or his natural force to have abated in the work he loves so well. He has frequently been a member of the Stationing Committee, and of other important committees of the Conference. He was married, June 17th, 1847, to Miss Esther Fitzgerald. His family consists of five sons and two daughters.



RICHARD SMITH, gentleman, Simcoe, Ontario, was born in Williamstown, Oswego Co., N.Y., U.S.A., March 6th, 1806. In early life he learned the woollen manufacturing business, and came to Canada in 1857, settling at St. Johns, and worked at his trade in a mill at that place. He subsequently returned to New York State, and carried on farming for some ten years, and was quite successful. He then returned to Canada and settled in Woodhouse, Ontario, where he built a large property, consisting of flour mills, lumber mills and woollen mills, and in the management of this he succeeded in accumulating a competency. About the year 1862, he sold the milling property and bought a farm. Shortly after this, he removed to Simcoe, and has since lived a retired life. He was converted about the year 1831, when he joined the M. E. Church, being taken in by the Rev. Ephraim Evans, and has been a consistent Methodist since that time, in fact, he has been an efficient member of the church for sixty-one years. During that time, he has been a class-leader, recording steward and trustee, and in fact, has always been in sympathy with every good work in which the church has been engaged, and has been a faithful and particular friend of the Methodist ministers. He is a life-long Reformer, and in early life did good work for his party. He is now (1892) a very old man, being in his eighty-sixth year, but enjoys the respect and friendship of his neighbors, and has a very large circle of friends, who hope he may be spared for many years. Mr. Smith has been a justice of the peace for over forty years. He has been married twice; first, to Miss Phœbe, daughter of John Street, on January 20th, 1831; and second, to Miss Mary Austin, October 7th, 1862. But few men have reached the years allotted to Mr. Smith, and but few achieve a like temporal success, and it is difficult to find a man who has used his wealth to better purpose. He has ever been a friend to the poor, who look up to him as a father.

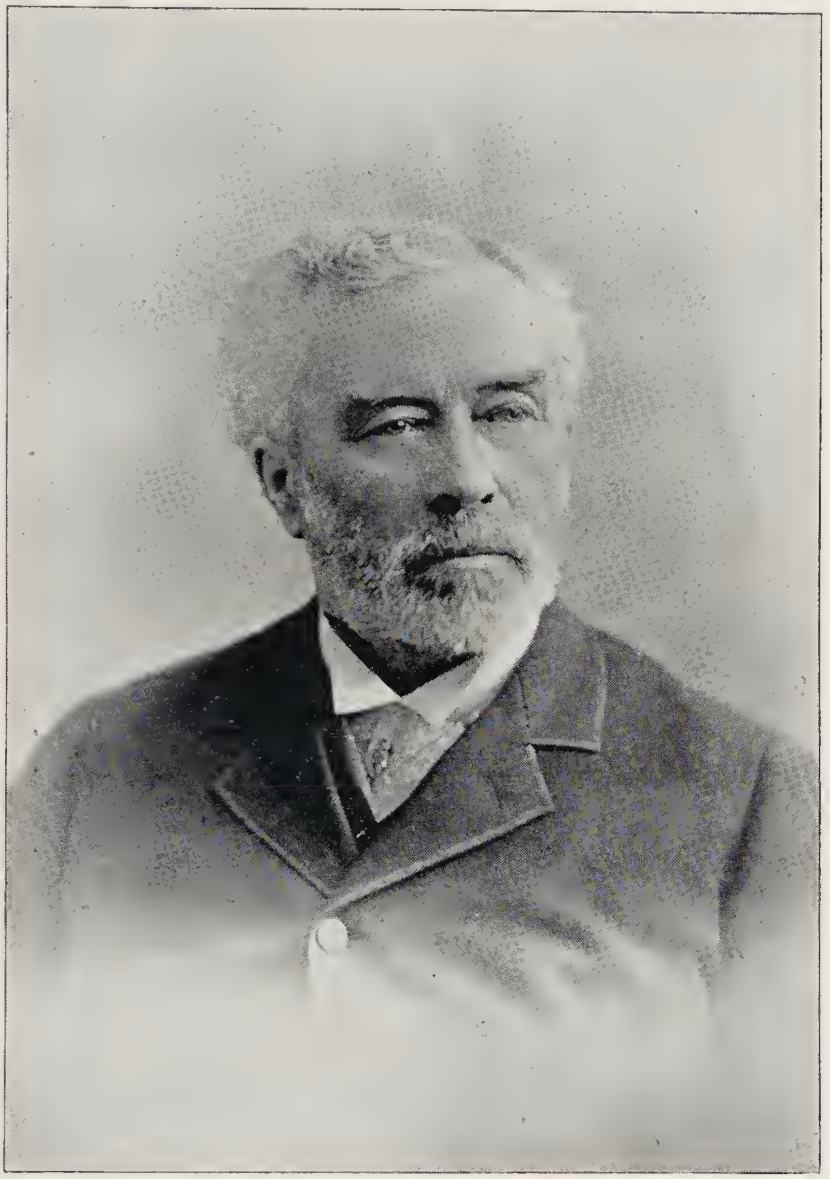


WILLIAM E. CHESTER, Montreal, Que., was born February 8th, 1835, in that city. His parents were John and Mary (Drewry) Chester, natives of Lincolnshire, England, who came to Canada in 1831, and settled at Montreal. His father was a builder and contractor, and erected some of the finest buildings in Montreal. He died December 20th, 1892, after having lived a retired life for some years. Our subject was educated at Phillips and Grafton's schools. He then learned his father's business, and followed it successfully since. In 1874-'75, he was so affected with asthma and bronchitis, that his life was despaired of, and was attended by the best physicians without avail. He finally made a preparation himself of different herbs, which entirely cured him. On the advice of the well-known druggist, Mr. H. R. Gray, this preparation was put on the market, and it has attained a wonderful reputation. He is a member of the Masonic fraternity, and also the Royal Arch Chapter. He was appointed a Justice of the Peace by the government of Quebec, in 1878. Mr. Chester was married to Miss Mary Peacock, in Montreal, February 7th, 1856. His family consists of one daughter.

JOHN HAMILTON HATHAWAY, Evangelist, Burford, Ont., was born in Dundas, February 28th, 1857. He is a son of Peter H. and Ann Hathaway, and was educated in the public schools. He was converted in 1884, through the instrumentality of the Band movement that was so prominent for several years in Ontario, and immediately engaged with the Rev. David Savage, in that evangelistic movement. After the Band work ceased, he continued in the evangelistic field, and has been blessed with great success in various parts of Ontario, the Lower Provinces, and in the United States. He is wonderfully fitted by nature and grace for his chosen calling, and being endowed with the gift of song, and more than ordinary power in revival services, sings the Gospel with much effect. He is the author of *The Evangel of Song*, and also of a great deal of original music. He is now well-known throughout the Dominion, and his services are in demand in many places, and being on the sunny side of life, he bids fair to give to the world many years of faithful and helpful service. He was married, January 1st, 1881, to Miss Mary Henrietta, daughter of the late Dr. J. M. Fowler, of Burford.

EDWIN C. CARPENTER, M.P.P., and leading agriculturalist, Simcoe, Ontario, was born at that place December 15th, 1845. He is the son of John B. and Rachael P. Carpenter, who where among the early settlers of Norfolk county. The former was one of the most favorably known men in the county. He took an interest, not only in the public weal, but did much to mould the moral and religious sentiment of the community. Mr. Carpenter was educated at the public schools and Victoria University. His father being a very prominent farmer, he has spent nearly all his life in following agricultural pursuits. The judges of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario, in 1881, pronounced Mr. Carpenter's country seat to be the model farm of Group No. 1, on the Niagara Peninsula, covering an area of eight counties. He has received a goodly share of public honors at the disposal of the township and county. He was deputy reeve of Townsend for three years and president of the Norfolk Union Agricultural Association on two occasions. He has for years taken an active part in Provincial and Dominion politics. In January, 1891, he received the Reform nomination to contest the North Riding of Norfolk for the seat in the Legislative Assembly, made vacant by the death of Mr. J. B. Freeman. He was opposed by Mr. Elias Boughner, the Conservative candidate, but was elected by a majority of 214. Mr. Carpenter is a thoroughly representative man and one who will do great honor and credit to his constituency. He has a keen insight into public affairs and a thorough grasp of all matters affecting the cause which he represents, and will, no doubt, give a good account of himself on the floor of the House. He is very popular in the community where he lives, which is much to his credit, as he has lived near Simcoe all his life, and is one of the best known men in that part of the country. He is an adherent and a staunch supporter of the Methodist Church, in Simcoe, and is unmarried.

MOSES McPHERSON, M. A., head-master of the High School, Prescott, Ont., was born November 25th, 1840, in Dundas county. His parents were Alexander and Hannah (Brownell) McPherson. On his father's side, he is descended from Scotch, and on his mother's from U. E. Loyalist stock. He received his elementary education at the public school of his native place, and after teaching for a year and a half, and "boarding around," according to common practice, he attended the Toronto Normal School for a session, and obtained a second class certificate, on which he taught for a year. He prepared for the University at Iroquois High School, and entered Victoria in 1865, graduating in 1869. He was appointed the same year to the position of headmaster of the High and public schools of Farmersville (now Athens), which he held with satisfaction to all until 1871, when he assumed similar duties in Prescott. The introduction of the Model School system necessitated the removal of the High School to another building, and since that time Mr. McPherson has been headmaster of it. He has kept up with the times, and is thoroughly efficient in his profession. He was the first, at a convention of teachers, the Hon. Adam Crooks, Minister of Education, being present, to point out, by a resolution, the necessity of Normal schools, devoting exclusive attention to the professional training of teachers, and of teachers' institutes. In religion, he is a Methodist, and has been an acceptable local preacher for more than thirty-two years, and Sabbath School superintendent for more than twenty-two years. He is a prominent temperance man, and takes a general interest in the welfare of the town where he resides. In politics, he is a stannch Reformer, and an advocate of free trade. He was married, September 17th, 1869, to Louisa, daughter of Nicholas Redmond, of Iroquois, Ont., by whom he has five children living and one deceased. His eldest son, William Arthur, is a physician in Prescott.



JEAN-BAPTISTE RESTHER, architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, July 17th, 1830. He is the son of the late John Ignace Resther, formerly contractor in the city of Montreal, and brother of the Rev. Father Resther, of the Jesuit Order. Mr. Resther, after spending a short time as dry goods clerk, commenced with his father in charge of works, for the construction of the Bonsecours market in 1847. In 1849, he left Montreal for St. Hyacinthe, where he was contractor for the college. After the construction of the college, he took a contract for the building of all the stations for the G. T. R., from St. Thomas down to Rivière du Loup. While in St. Hyacinthe, he was for several years, a member of the council. In 1867, he returned to Montreal, and opened an office as architect, arbitrator and valuator, in which profession he has a large practice. In 1884, Mr. Resther was chosen first vice-president of the St. Jean-Baptiste Association. He has served in determining important cases of arbitration, for Government, Railway corporations, &c., in which he has distinguished himself. He received his education in the Christian Brothers School, and under private tutors.

LOUIS JOSEPH LAMONTAGNE, assessor of the city of Montreal, was born in that city, September 3rd, 1825. His father, Louis Lamontagne, was born in Three Rivers, Que., and was a builder and contractor by trade, and had the honor of building the Parish Church of Montreal. He was educated partly at the Montreal College, and partly with the Brothers of the Christian Schools. He subsequently learned to be a stone mason and cutter, which occupation he followed until he was twenty-five years of age. He then became a contractor, which business he carried on very successfully; and during his thirty-nine years' practice, he has built a great many of the principal and most beautiful buildings in his city. He has had the honor of working with the late Hon. Alexander Mackenzie, who was at that time in the same line of business. He is a Liberal in politics, and has taken an active part in matters relating to the interest and welfare of the party. He has been an alderman of the city of Montreal, and a Justice of the Peace for that district. Mr. Lamontagne was married, in 1850, to Miss Marie Hermine Levernoge, of the town of St. Hyacinthe, Que.

JAY SPENCER CORBIN, manufacturer, Prescott, Ont., was born in Gouverneur, New York State, in 1840. He received his education amid the meagre advantages which the country had to offer in those early days, but so improved his opportunities, that at the age of seventeen he was teaching school in a log school-house for $12.00 per month. He continued to follow the teaching profession, until he finally taught in one of the large American cities, for a salary of $1800.00 per annum. He subsequently engaged with a Life Assurance Co., and in this connection, his diligence as a canvasser was rewarded with a State agency, and he subsequently became superintendent of another company. Gathering a fair competency from these sources, he determined to gratify his love for mechanics, and invested in a machine-shop and foundry. During the next five years, his entire earnings were lost, and then began the real work of his life. Seeing the need of something that he could control, he started on his career as an inventor, and from that onward, the Patent Offices at Ottawa and Washington, have borne frequent record of his genius. He became a pioneer inventor, by substituting a concave rotating disk, for the tooth and Scotch harrows then in use. The worth of his inventions are attested by the frequency of their infringement by other manufacturers. It may be said that Mr. Corbin's patents so completely cover all forms of disk harrows, that no saleable machine of this class can be made without using some of his improvements. His factories are now making his implements with an estimated yearly output of 20,000, and they are known nearly all over the civilized world. He is still in the prime of life, possessed of a competency, controlling a trade yielding ample returns, and is an inventor of improvements which have vastly increased the farmer's products, while reducing his toil. He is an ardent supporter of temperance and other reforms. He was married, in 1865, to Christia Ann Hill of his native town.

HON. ARTHUR HENRI RENÉ TURCOTTE, Q.C., was born in Montreal, January 19th, 1845. His father was the late Hon. J. E. Turcotte, speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Canada. Mr. Turcotte began his education at the Jesuit's College, Montreal, and completed it at Stoneyhurst College, Lancashire, England. He was called to the Bar of Quebec, in June, 1867, and created Q.C. in 1879. Being well qualified for the duties of public life, he soon found his way to positions of responsibility. He is an honorary director of the British Empire Mutual Life Assurance Company, and has been councillor, alderman, and mayor of Three Rivers. He was speaker of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Quebec, from June, 1878, until the dissolution of the House in December, 1881. He was first returned to the Legislative Assembly in 1876, and was re-elected by acclamation at the general elections of 1878. He was an unsuccessful candidate three years later, but upon the unseating of Mr. Dumoulin, was elected in 1884, re-elected at the general elections of 1886, and appointed member of the Executive Council in 1887, and Attorney General of the Province in 1888. He introduced and carried the Act exempting from seizure under execution, one half of a laborer's wages, and has carried through several measures amending the civil code, and simplifying legal procedure. Mr. Turcotte is a Liberal Conservative in politics. He acted as Premier during the Hon. H. Mercier's first trip to Europe, and also as commissioner of Crown Lands during honorable Mr. Garneau's absence at the same time. He was defeated at general elections, June, 1890, and appointed prothonotary of the Superior Court of Montreal, August 19th, of the same year, which office he now fills. Mr. Turcotte is yet in the prime of manhood, and gives promise of extended usefulness in the important career upon which he has entered. He was married, January 16th, 1873, to Marie Eléonore Isabella, only daughter of late Angus McDonald, of Bécancour.

ALPHONSO PATRIZIO DEL VECCHIO, physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, in 1837. His parents were Pietro Thomaso and Elizabeth (Olivier) del Vecchio. His father was a lieutenant-colonel in the Canadian Militia, while his mother was a sister of the late Judge Olivier. Dr. del Vecchio, was educated in the Jesuits' College of Montreal, and in the Jesuits' College of Fordham, New York. He was a bright scholar, and his educational career was prophetic of his subsequent success. He graduated in 1867, and received the degree of M.D. at that time. He immediately began the practice of his profession, and has been very successful. He is a well-known man in Montreal, and is highly respected, not only by his numerous clients, and by his brethren of the medical profession, but by the public generally. He is a staunch Liberal in politics, and his influence is felt to the advantage of his party. In religion, Dr. del Vecchio is a member of the Roman Catholic Church. He was married in 1878, to Miss Azelie Beaudoin, of St. Roch, Que. His family consists of two children, one son and one daughter.

JOHN THOM FINNIE, M.D., L.R.C.S., (Edin.) physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born September 14th, 1847, at Peterhead, Aberdeenshire, Scotland. His father was Robert Finnie, of that place. Dr. Finnie was educated at the Parish school, Peterhead, and the High School, Montreal. He studied medicine at McGill College, graduating there in 1869, with honors. The same year, he passed the examination in the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, Scotland. He then spent some months in visiting the hospitals of London and the continent. He returned to Montreal the following year, and started his present practice. Dr. Finnie by his professional skill and affable manner, has cultivated an extensive and growing practice. He has been president of the Caledonian Society, also president of the Montreal Swimming Club. He is passionately fond of sport, and is known to be a keen shot and skillful with the rod. Dr. Finnie was married in 1874, to Miss Amelia Healey, daughter of Christopher Healey, of Montreal. His family consists of five sons and one daughter. In religion, Dr. and Mrs. Finnie, are members of the Church of England.

DR. JAMES GOLDIE CRANSTON, Arnprior, Ont., born in Madrid, St. Lawrence county, New York State, U.S.A., March 31st, 1837. His parents, William and Jane (Goldie) Cranston, were natives of Scotland. After his primary education in the public schools, he took a course in the Toronto Grammar school, and subsequently entered the Toronto Medical School, then under the presidency of the late Hon. Dr. Rolph, spending two years there, after which he took a year's course in the Buffalo Medical College and another course in Queen's College, Kingston, where he graduated in 1860, and began practice in Arnprior in 1861. He represented the Ontario Medical Council from 1881 to 1890, and was vice-president during 1889 and president during 1890. He is coroner for the county of Renfrew, and has been chairman of the Arnprior Board of Education twenty-one years, member of the village council twelve years, and takes an active interest in everything pertaining to the advancement of local interests, with which he is always identified. He was nominated as the Reform candidate to represent Renfrew in the Commons in March, 1891, but declined the honor. The doctor is a mason of high standing, being a past D.G.M. of the Ottawa district. In 1891 Dr. Cranston was appointed by the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Kingston to deliver the inaugural address at Queen's University for that year, his subject being "The History and Progress of Surgical and Medical Science, from the earliest times to the present." He has established a very remunerative practice and has a wide reputation for his medical skill. He is a genial companion, a warm friend, and is held in the highest esteem by the community. He is, in religion, an Episcopalian, in politics a Reformer. He was married twice; first, to Miss Louisa Shillito, Sept. 1st, 1860, who died in July, 1873, and second on Sept. 9th, 1885, to Miss Annie May, daughter of the late Hugh Fraser, the pioneer wholesale merchant of Kingston, Ont.

THE LATE DANIEL McLACHLIN, pioneer lumberman of the Ottawa Valley, and founder of the village of Arnprior, Ont., was born at Point Fortune, Que., in 1820, and died at Arnprior, February 6th, 1872. Mr. McLachlin was an important factor in the social, commercial and public life of his day, and has left an impress on Renfrew county, which will long perpetuate his name. About the year 1850, he bought the water power, and several hundred acres of land along the Madawaska River, and began building up a town on the present site. To the genius and foresight of Mr. McLachlin, may be wholly attributed the present prosperity of the town. One of his first acts, was to have the land surveyed into lots, many of which were given to men who would build on them. The choicest lots were offered at very low figures, and soon houses and stores appeared, which caused the little hamlet to increase in importance year by year, until Arnprior is now (1892) one of the most important and prosperous towns in Eastern Ontario. In early life, Mr. McLachlin engaged in lumbering and acquired property so rapidly, that while in his twenties, he owned extensive and valuable estates, in various parts of the country. While a resident of Ottawa, he represented a constituency of the Capital in Parliament, and on removing to Arnprior, was chosen to represent the county of Renfrew. After confederation he again represented theSouth Riding of Renfrew, in the Commons, and faithfully fulfilled the honorable trust. During the visit of the Prince of Wales to Canada, Mr. McLachlin had the honor of entertaining the heir apparent and his suite, when they visited Arnprior, and he gave largely from his purse and stores, to ensure a proper welcome to the Royal party. He was a generous, genial, gentleman, a noble type of manhood and a splendid specimen of the sterling Canadian pioneer. At his death, his sons Hugh F. and Claude McLachlin, succeeded to the management of his enormous business, and are worthy sons of a noble sire.

REV. WILLIAM BLAIR, B.A. pastor of the Methodist Church, Kemptville, Ont., was born in the township of Ross, Renfrew county, Ont., May 6th, 1843. He received his early education in the public schools, and at the age of fourteen taught school on a third grade certificate. Five years later he attended Albert College, Belleville, for one year, after which he taught for two years, and again returned to college for another year. In 1866 he entered the ministry of the M. E. Church, and was appointed to Ottawa, as Dr. Stone's colleague, after which he was assistant to the Rev. Dr. Aylesworth, Napanee. His next charge was Arnprior, after which he returned to college. The following year he labored in Ottawa West, returning to college again and graduating in 1875, with honors in metaphysics, ethics and civil polity. He then labored in Lyn, Iroquois, Farmersville, Almonte and Smith's Falls, and accepted his present charge, June, 1891. He was the first secretary of the Montreal Conference after Union, and was for several years secretary of the old Bay of Quinte Conference. He was married, June 25, 1875, to Mrs. M. A. Smith, preceptress of Alexandra College, Belleville.

BYRON LANE, editor and proprietor of the *Press*, Winchester, Ont., was born at Leamington, Essex county, Ontario, March 26th, 1860. He is a son of Ransom Lane, and is descended from U. E. Loyalist stock. Mr. Lane began his education in the Leamington public schools and continued it by private study. He began the printing business by serving three years on the Leamington *Post*, after which he was one year on the *Canada Presbyterian*, in Toronto. He subsequently attended school for a short time, and after four months spent at Ann Arbor, Mich., he returned to Canada, and for seven or eight years, was either proprietor or manager of some of the most important papers in the Dominion. In 1888, he bought the job office of R. L. Crane, Winchester, and established the *Press*. In 1891, he started printing the whole of the paper in the *Press* office, an unusual thing for a paper of that size. In politics the *Press* is Independent, but thoroughly Canadian. Mr. Lane is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and A.O.U.W. societies, and is a past master of the Masonic Order. He was married in December, 1885, to Miss Annie May, daughter of W. H. Haley, of Petrolea, Ont.

RIGHT REV. NARCISSE ZÉPHIRIN LORRAIN, D.D., Bishop of Cythera, and vicar apostolic of Pontiac, Pembroke, Ont., was born in St. Martin, Que., June 13th, 1842. He is of French descent, and a son of Narcisse and Sophia (Goyer) Lorrain. Bishop Lorrain entered St. Thérèse College in 1855, where he remained eight years. He graduated from Laval University in 1864, and was ordained priest in August, 1867. Subsequently he was pastor at Redford, N.Y. for ten years. In August, 1880, he was appointed vicar-general of the diocese of Montreal, and in September, two years later, was consecrated titulary bishop of Cythera, and vicar apostolic of Pontiac. Since his settlement in Pembroke, his career has been marked by many trying experiences, but has nevertheless been crowned with wonderful success. In 1884, he travelled some 15,000 miles in a canoe through the Northern wilds of the Dominion to Abbitibi and Albany, establishing missions amongst the Indians. Three years later, he covered some 17,000 miles, making pastoral visits to the Indian missions on the Upper Ottawa, St. Maurice and Rupert's Land. Since locating in Pembroke, bishop Lorrain has paid off a debt of about $11,000 on the church, built a magnificent episcopal residence at a cost of $18,000, fully provided for, enlarged and decorated the church, and secured a large amount of property to be devoted to charitable purposes. The church at Pembroke, would be a credit to any large city, and has cost about $60,000. The bishop is a man of strong force of character, wonderful executive ability, sympathetic, and is beloved and honored by all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance. The close of his tenth year at Pembroke, Thursday, September 22nd, 1892, was marked by a grand jubilee, at which he was made the recipient of many valuable presents and wishes, notably amongst these, may be mentioned, a handsome cash gift of $1,700, which he has devoted towards the furnishing of a new hospital which he has nearly completed.

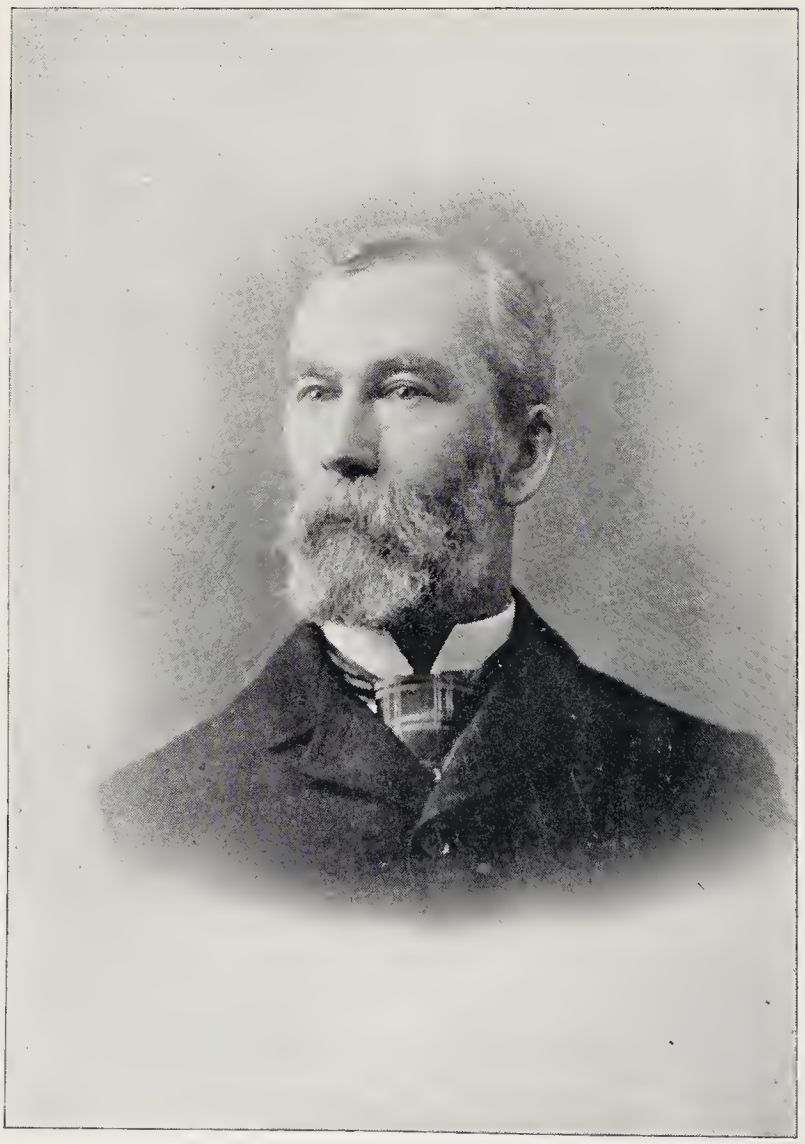
ALEXANDER McLEISH SHAVER, M.D., Blenheim, Ont., was born in Brant county, Ont. in 1858. He is a son of Hamilton and Euphemia (Burns) Shaver, who were worthy Canadian pioneers, and noted for their quiet industry and kind hospitality. Dr. Shaver began his education at the public schools, continued it at the Brantford Collegiate Institute, the Ottawa Normal School, and Trinity Medical College, Toronto, graduating from the latter in 1885, having completed a four years' course in three years, and standing first in honors that year at Trinity University, and winning the silver medal at Trinity College. He also became L.C.P.S.O. in the same year. It is much to the Doctor's credit that he earned every cent of the cost of his higher education, chiefly by teaching school. He taught two years at Glanford and three years at Innerkip, Oxford county. He has more than an ordinary capacity for learning, which was quite noticeable in his childhood, and has been retained by him all through his course, and through his love of study he has developed an excellent memory. When a lad of fifteen years of age, he won a Worcester dictionary as a prize in a county competition spelling match in Brantford, in 1874, against all comers. After graduating, he practiced three and a half years in Morpeth, Ont., after which he removed to Blenheim, and entered into partnership with the late eminent Dr. D. J. Vanvelsor, and now (1892) conducts a very fine practice in Blenheim and surrounding country. For a man of his years, Dr. Shaver has won an enviable distinction, and has gained the esteem of the community in which he moves. He is a member of the I.O. O.F., I.O.F., A.O.U.W., Select Knights, R.T. of T., and A.F. & A.M., and is medical examiner for these orders. He has also been medical health officer ever since he located in Blenheim. Dr. Shaver was married, in 1882, to Miss Caroline T. S., daughter of the late Adam Scott Gillespie, B.A, LL.B., who formerly practiced law in Woodstock, Toronto and Chicago.

ROBT. REDDICK, M.D., C.M., practising physician, Winchester, Ont., was born at Marlboro' township, Carleton County, Ont., November 18th, 1848. After leaving the public schools, Dr. Reddick studied privately before entering McGill University, from which he graduated in 1874. After practicing in Kemptville for one year, he settled in Winchester and began practice there in 1876. The Doctor is strongly attached to his profession, and considers no sacrifice too great to ensure success. In religion he is a Presbyterian, and very popular in the community. He was a member of the first Winchester council, but has since devoted his full time to his profession. He is master of Henderson Lodge, 383, A. F. & A. M. and past county master of the Orange Order. He has been connected with the Canadian militia for about twenty years, and acted as assistant surgeon to the Midland Battalion in the North West rebellion, 1885. His grandfather, Daniel Reddick, was in the battle of Waterloo. In politics the Doctor is a Conservative. He was married, February 25th, 1879, to Mary R., daughter of John Benjamin Wallace, Esq., of Iroquois, Ontario.

REV. MATTHEW HY. SCOTT, B.A., pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Winchester, Ont., was born in Wellington county, Ont., December 27th, 1847. After leaving the public schools, Mr. Scott attended the Galt Grammar School, after which he taught for three years. He then turned his attention to mercantile life, and was in the general store business for several years. During this latter period he continued his classics in private. He entered McGill University in the Fall of 1873, and graduated four years later, carrying with him the Logan gold medal in natural science. He graduated in theology from the Presbyterian College, Montreal, in 1879, and was ordained in the Presbyterian Church at Bristol, Que., in October of the same year and remained as pastor of that church for six years. He then served the Church at Manotick, Ont., for three years. He was for a time principal of the Ladies' College at Ottawa. On September 26th, 1889, he took charge of the Winchester Church. He is chaplain of the Winchester Council of the Royal Templars. Mr. Scott was married, December 20th, 1881, to Miss Jessie Gray, daughter of John Thompson, of Arnprior, Ont.

SOL. WHITE, M.P.P. for North Essex, Windsor, Ont., was born in the county which he represents in the Provincial Assembly. He is the eldest son of the late Joseph White and Angelique, daughter of the late Captain Pierre Fortier, formerly of Quebec. Mr. White was educated in the schools of Essex county, and was called to the Bar in 1865, and immediately entered upon the practice of his profession, with the late Mr. Justice O'Connor. In 1868, he retired from the practice of law, and purchased the Clair House vineyards at Cooksville, and carried on the business of vine growing and wine making until the year 1876, when he retired from that business. From 1873 until the present (1892), Mr. White has been a prominent figure in the North Essex political life, having represented that constituency at different times. His last defeat was owing largely to the stand he took on the Riel question. In 1890, he was elected mayor of Windsor by acclamation, and in June following at the general Provincial election, he was elected again M.P.P. In politics Mr. White is a Liberal Conservative, and he is one of the most influential, able and useful members of the Legislature. He is outspoken in his opinions and has been the subject of much comment by reason of his declaration that he would favor political union with the United States, in preference to unrestricted reciprocity. He takes a great interest in agricultural matters, and has a beautiful farm of about 500 acres, situated some three miles from the city of Windsor on a charming location on the Detroit River. He was president of the Agricultural Society of the Riding, also president of the Windsor Driving Park Association. Since his retirement from the Cooksville vineyards, he has resumed the practice of his profession. He has been engaged in all the principal cases in his county, and altogether his career has been a brilliant success, both in the Legislature and at the Bar. He is a Roman Catholic in religion, but is liberal in his views of all denominations.

GEORGE BARTLET, dry goods merchant, Windsor, Ont., was born in Amherstburg, Essex county, May 27th, 1846. His parents, James and Helen Bartlet, came from Banffshire, Scotland, to Amherstburg, in 1841, where they remained for a time and afterwards farmed in Essex county for some years, removing to Windsor in 1860, in order to educate their family. Mr. Bartlet, sr., is still living and is an elder in St. Andrew's church, Windsor. His wife died in 1873. Our subject was educated at the Amherstburg public school and Windsor Grammar school. In 1862, he entered the general store of Cameron & Thorburn as book-keeper and confidential agent, and soon exhibited a taste for the business and a natural adaptation for the retail trade. Some fifteen years later, he was admitted into partnership with Mr. Cameron, under the firm name of Cameron & Bartlet. This continued until 1887, when Mr. Cameron after an honorable business and public life, retired to a well earned repose in his native Invernesshire, Scotland. In 1887, Mr. Bartlet formed a partnership with Colin McDonald, which continues to the present (1892). They carried on a very large general dry goods trade in the city of Windsor and surrounding country. Mr. Bartlet is, in religion, a member of the Presbyterian Church, in politics a Liberal, and is an influential, zealous and trusted member of the party. He is and has been treasurer of the Windsor St. Andrew's Society for many years, and in 1886 and 1887, was alderman of ward No. 1, and chairman of the finance committee. His career is a worthy example to the young business men of our country. His dealings have been strictly upright, and his course both in public and private, thoroughly reliable throughout life, which makes his career worthy of emulation by our aspiring Canadian youth. Mr. Bartlet was married, in 1872, to Ermina, daughter of Wm. Noble, Esq., of Dearborn, Mich., U. S. A., formerly of Scotland. His family consists of three children, living.



CHARLES CHAPUT, wholesale grocer, Montreal, Que., was born November 14th, 1841, in that city. His parents were Léandre and Dame Hélène (St. Denis) Chaput. His father was a native of L'Assomption, and came to Montreal in 1832, and learned the grocery business with the best houses in that city. He began business for himself in 1842, and in 1859, Charles Chaput became his father's partner. Since that time the name and style of the firm has been L. Chaput, Fils & Cie, wholesale grocers. This is one of the best and most honorable houses in Montreal. Mr. Chaput belongs to the Roman Catholic Church, is a member of the Board of Directors of the Banque d'Hochelaga, Montreal, is vice-president of the Montreal Turnpike Trust, a member of the Board of Trade, and an ex-member of the council. He is a Conservative in politics, but is not what may be called a party man. He was married in 1865, and has three sons and two daughters. His eldest son joined the Jesuit Society some seven years ago. His eldest daughter was married to Gabriel Marchand, prothonotary of the Court of St. John's, P.Q., and son of the Hon. F. H. Marchand, M.P.P.

FRANK EVANS MARCON, clerk of the County Court, deputy clerk of the Crown and Surrogate Registrar in and for the county of Essex, Windsor, Ont., was born at Swaffham, Norfolk county, England, December 23rd, 1832. His father was John Marcon, a retired army officer, and his mother, Jane (Edwards) Marcon, was a daughter of Rev. A. Edwards, of Cepingham, Norfolk, England. Mr. Marcon was educated chiefly at Bruton College, Somerset, England, and emigrated to Canada in March, 1851. For some years he resided at Guelph, Ont., and was engaged on the first survey of the G.T.R. from Toronto to Guelph, under the Shanly Bros., as chief engineers, and Hugh McKenzie, as practical engineer. In 1856, he commenced the study of law with the firm of Ferguson, Blair & J. J. Kingsmill, the latter now Judge of the county of Bruce. In 1860, he passed his examination for solicitor, and on the 28th of September, 1870, was appointed under the Sandfield-Macdonald administration to his present position. He is an Episcopalian in religion, and in politics a staunch Conservative. He was married, Aug. 28th, 1862, to Arabella A., daughter of the late Alexander McKee, of Sandwich, Ont.

DR. ALEXANDRE GERMAIN, physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born July 2, 1851, at St. Vincent de Paul, Que. His parents were Césaire and Z. (Pepin) Germain. His mother, who died March the 3rd, 1893, was a member of one of the most honored French families, and his father was a well known notary in the district of Terrebonne, and in Montreal. He was also mayor of St. Vincent de Paul, inspector of Catholic schools there for the county, and for thirty years took an active interest in the development of the place. He died in 1874. Dr. Germain received his education at Ste. Thérèse College, and studied medicine at the Montreal School of Medicine, and graduated at Victoria University, receiving the degree of M.D. in 1874. He at once commenced the practice of his profession in St. Jean-Baptiste Village, now an important ward in the city of Montreal. Dr. Germain has a large practice, and is held in high esteem by the medical profession, and his kindness to the poor makes him a general favorite. He is a member of and physician to a number of benevolent societies, and is a friend to all of them. He was elected alderman for Montreal, in 1888, and since 1890, he is the chairman of the Health Committee for the city. In the Fall of 1892, during the epidemic of cholera in Europe, he instituted a thorough investigation into the sanitary and hygienic conditions of the city. He is also a member of the Central Provincial Board of Health. In religion, Dr. Germain is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative, taking an active part in political matters. Dr. Germain is an exceptionally good all-around man, he is a skillful practitioner with a large practice, a public spirited citizen occupying prominent official position, and with time to spare to look after the poor. He was married, November 8th, 1882, to Miss Johanna Hagerty, daughter of Wm. Hagerty, Esq., merchant of Montreal. They have had three children, all of whom died in the same week, in October, 1890, from diptheria.

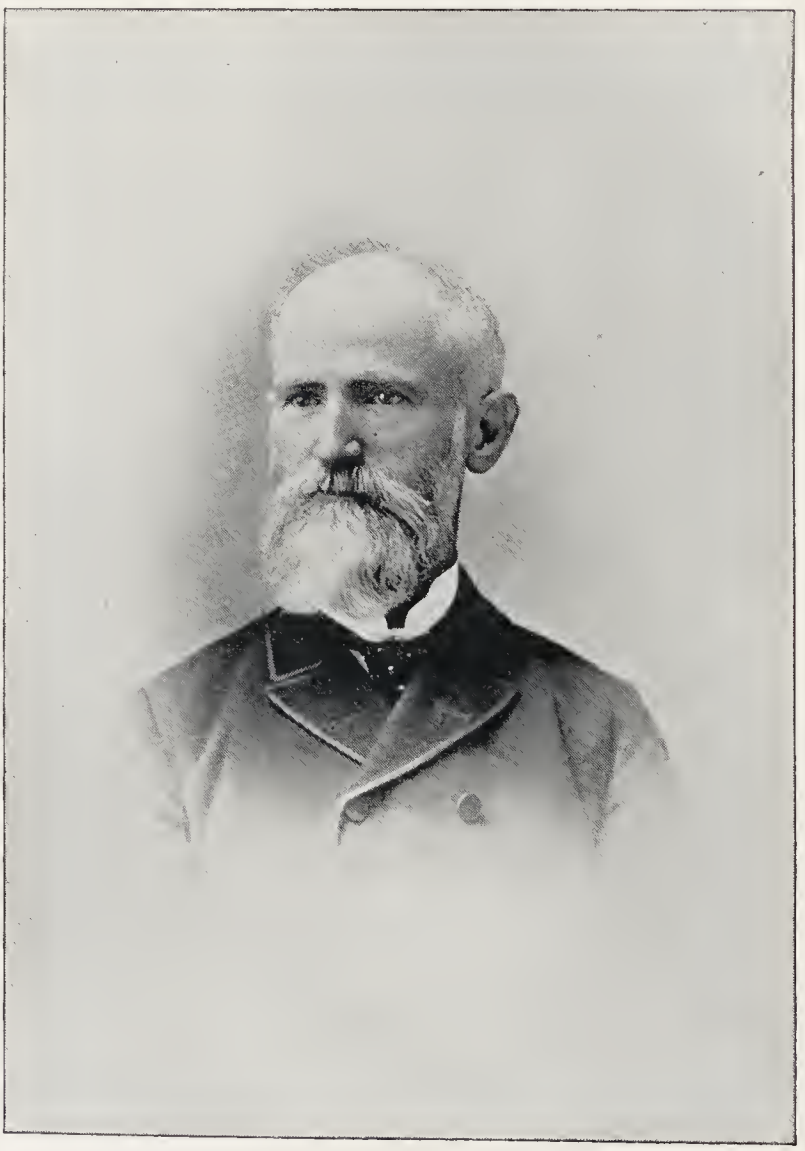
TECUMSEH KINGSLEY HOLMES, M.D., Chatham, Ont., was born near Florence, Lambton county, January 17th, 1839. His parents were Abraham and Jane L. (Gibson) Holmes. The Gibsons were U. E. Loyalists and the maternal grandfather of Dr. Holmes was attached to Burgoyne's Army, was surrendered as a prisoner of war in 1777, and was confined in Albany. During this time he became acquainted with the lady who afterwards became his wife. She was a daughter of General Gates, and was instrumental in his escape. The romantic episode of this acquaintance, escape and perilous journey, via Lake Champlain, to Canada, had its sequel in their subsequent marriage and settlement in this country. Dr. Holmes was educated in Kent county where he taught school for five years, and then began the study of medicine under the late Dr. Wallen. He subsequently attended the Michigan University and graduated at Long Island College Hospital in 1865. One year later he received the degree of M.D., from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, and in 1867 obtained his M.D. from Victoria University. He then settled in Chatham, and built up a large and influential practice. Since 1880 he has been associated with Dr. Geo. T. McKeough under the name of Holmes & McKeough. Dr. Holmes was public school trustee for several years, and belongs to the Ontario Medical Association, is corresponding member of Detroit Medical and Library Association, was president of the Canadian Medical Association in 1885, and has contributed many valuable papers on medecine and surgery. He is a director of Chatham Loan and Savings Society; Chatham General Hospital, and president of the T. H. Taylor M'f'g Co'y. Dr. Holmes has delivered special courses of lectures before the medical classes of the Western University. Politically he is a Reformer. In religion, a member of the Church of England, and an ardent advocate of temperance. He was married, Jan. 23rd, 1873, to Miss Mary E., daughter of the late Thos. H. Taylor.

JOSEPH LOUIS COUTLÉE, Montreal, Que., was born at Cedars, county of Soulanges, P.Q., in 1845. He is the son of the late D. A. Coutlée, who represented the county of Soulanges in Parliament before Confederation, and after, at the Legislature of Quebec. He received his education at the College of L'Assomption, P.Q. He was admitted as a member of the notarial profession, June 17th, 1867, and practiced as such in Laprairie, until 1873, since which time he has practiced in Montreal. He is at present a member of the firm of Coutlée & Lamarche, notaries. He was commissioner for the census of 1871, in the county of Laprairie. He also took part in the direction of the Registry office of Soulanges and Laprairie, and takes great interest in the laws on registration. He is a commissioner to receive affidavits for Quebec and Ontario, is a member of the Provincial Board of Notaries, and was its vice-president from 1888 to 1891. He is now a member of, and shareholder in L'Association St. Jean-Baptiste de Montréal, and was prominent in the celebration of its 50th anniversary, in 1884. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Conservative.

PATRICK KYLE, manufacturer of malleable iron goods Merrickville Ont., was born in Pettigo, Ireland, January 1st, 1838. He came to this country in 1841, and was educated in the public and grammar schools, and Eastman's Business College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. In 1870, he commenced buying malleable iron castings and finishing specialties in carriage and saddlery hardware. After a short time, he began making his own castings, and has since extended his business from the Atlantic to the Pacific oceans. Mr. Kyle, is entitled to the proud distinction of pioneer manufacturer of malleable iron castings in Canada. He has recently bought the Merrickville Flour Mill and converted it into a 75 barrel roller mill with all modern improvements. Mr. Kyle also owns the Merrickville Saw Mill, has a large interest in the Merrickville Hame Company, limited, besides farm property and other real estate. He was for many years, a member of the Merrickville municipal council, and takes an active interest in the welfare of the place. In politics he is an Independent. He was married, Feb. 13, 1870, to Margaret, daughter of the late P. O'Hara. Their family consists of three sons and three daughters.

THOS. FERDINAND GUILDOR FOISY, piano manufacturer, Montreal, Que., was born June 13th, 1855, at Gentilly, county of Nicolet, P.Q. His father's name was Ferdinand Foisy dit de Lafrenière, and his mother's name, Josephine Desroches dit Toinon. His father kept a general store at Gentilly, and died at 65 years of age, while his mother is still living (1893) in Montreal, at the age of 68 years, and her mother is still living at Coaticook, and is about 85 years of age. He was educated at the college in Stanfold, P.Q., where he received a good commercial education, and the instruction then received, especially in book-keeping, has been of great service to him in his extensive business undertakings. He began life without any capital, starting as a canvasser in the sewing machine business, and gradually worked into a business of his own, and inside of twelve years, he has succeeded in making about a quarter of a million dollars. He is at present conducting a piano factory on a large scale, employing about 125 men, and shipping goods from one end of this continent to the other, besides which he has a saw mill, and sash and door factory. He belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. He also holds an office in the financial department of the C. M. B. A., is a member of the I. O. F. and a Justice of the Peace for Montreal. He was married in 1876, to Miss Josephine Graziella, daughter of Léandre Mazurette, of Montreal. He has three sons, Thomas Ferdinand Guildor, Théobald Fernando Guildor, and Rudolphe Honorius Nazaire, who are all at the college of St. Louis, one of the best colleges of Montreal. When their education is finished, they will, with their father, compose the firm of Thos. F. G. Foisy & Sons. Mr. Foisy has travelled a great deal, having been almost all over the world. He lived for several years in the United States, where he began life as a canvasser. The pianos manufactured by him, are of such excellence, that he received two diplomas for them at the exhibition held in Montreal.

AUGUSTINE JAMES DONLY, registrar for Norfolk county, Simcoe, Ont., was born in Graigue, Queen's county, on the banks of the Barrow, Ireland. He received his education at the Irish National schools, and passed his professional examination in Ontario, where he obtained his first class certificate. He came to Canada when seventeen years of age, and settled at Merrickville, Ontario, where he spent nearly seven years as a public school teacher. On leaving that place, he located in Simcoe, in 1857, and became principal of the Boys' Public School there, which position he held for three years. For some two years after this, he resided in the Southern States, and was there during the early part of the civil war, subsequently returned to Simcoe where he opened a book and stationery store, which he conducted for over twenty years. In 1872, he became editor and proprietor of the *Norfolk Reformer*, which he conducted for over ten years, when the business was transferred to his eldest son, H. B. Donly. In 1884, he received his present appointment. In politics he is a Reformer, and has been an efficient and successful organizer of the party. As a public citizen, he has always been identified with whatever tended to advance the interest of the community, whether in connection with the affairs of the Church or State. Mr. Donly has always taken an interest in the cause of education, and has held the position of public and high school trustee, and is at present chairman of the County Board of Examiners for the licensing of public school teachers. He is in religion a Methodist, and has been identified with that body since 1858. In the church at Simcoe, he is recording steward, treasurer and S.S. superintendent. He has been a member of each annual and general conference since the union, a member of the general board of missions since its organization in 1874, and journal secretary from that time to the present. He was married Oct. 5th, 1858, to Miss Maria Harrison, of Simcoe, Ont.



CHARLES ALBERT DUCLOS, B.A., B.C.L., advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in Joliette, P.Q., August 3rd, 1861. His father is the Rev. R. P. Duclos, a Presbyterian clergyman, who was born in Canada and baptized a Roman Catholic, but was converted and studied in Geneva, Switzerland, and is the first and oldest French Canadian Presbyterian, ordained to the ministry in Canada. His mother was a Swiss, being born in Neuchatel, Switzerland, and is a niece of a leader of the Swiss revolution against Austrian domination, and was minister of public worship, under the new Republic. Mr. Duclos was educated at the High School in Montreal, and graduated in Arts at McGill University in 1881, with first rank honors; he graduated in law in 1884, also with first rank honors and obtained the Elizabeth Torrance gold medal. He was called to the Bar in 1884, and has since continued to practice law. Religiously, he is a Presbyterian, and politically a Conservative, being a member of the Junior Conservative Club and takes an active part in the work of his party. He was married, June 25th, 1889 to Isabella, daughter of Geo. M. Holbrooke, Merchant, Ottawa, Ont.

REV. BARTHOLOMEW BOUBAT, now pastor at Simcoe, Ont., was born in the diocese of Clermont, France, Oct. 21st, 1832. His parents were Francis R. Boubat and Pauline Volumard. Father Boubat followed with distinction a full course of classics at the College of Prades, near Spain, and of theology in Clermont, where he received sub-deaconhood in December, 1856. Early in 1857 he came to Canada, was made a deacon October 22nd, a priest December 6th, same year, in Sandwich, Ont., at the hands of Right Rev. P. A. Pinsoneault, first bishop of London. Since then Father Boubat was pastor at Raleigh, Simcoe, Tecumseh, Corunna, Kinkora, Ingersoll, St. Mary's, Goderich, Sarnia, Ingersoll, Ashfield, Walkerville and again Simcoe. The building of churches and presbyteries at Corunna, Goderich, Sarnia, Ingersoll and Ashfield, of convents at Goderich and Ingersoll, the introduction of the St. Joseph nuns in these last two places, the founding of parochial schools in Corunna, St. Mary's and Goderich, substantial improvements elsewhere, and $60,000 collected for the foregoing, are works to testify of his activity and energy in the Lord's vineyard.

JOHN A. GROSE, detective, Montreal, Que., was born March 6th, 1856, in Bodmin, Cornwall, England. His father, John William Grose, is one of the city assessors in Montreal. At twelve years of age, John A. sold newspapers at Côte St. Paul. He then went to work as office boy for Hon. Geo. A. Drummond, of the Canada Sugar Refinery. After that he went into the G.T.R. as apprenticed clerk, but his ambition was to be a detective. He left the G.T.R. for the service of the Dominion Government, as tide waiter at the Montreal Custom's office. He continued in this capacity for about four years, when he was transferred as a special detective, with power to visit any part of the Dominion for the prevention and detection of smugglers, and in this capacity, he did very efficient service. He remained there until January, 1888, when at the instigation of some prominent men of Montreal, he was induced to open a detective office. Having handed in his resignation, he opened his office, which was called "The Canadian Secret Service," of which he is at present a senior partner. After managing this office for about two years, he found it necessary to have a partner, and succeeded in getting Mr. Silas H. Carpenter, who is well known on the city force. With two such experienced men at the head of affairs, they are doing good work in the interests of law and order. In the Spring of 1892, he organized the Dominion Burglary Guarantee Company, whose object is to guarantee persons against loss or damage caused by burglars. He has also been the means of organizing a company in New York city, with a capital of a million dollars. If the directors of this company elect him to take its management in the Dominion of Canada, Mr. Grose intends organizing a detective and patrol service over the whole Dominion of Canada. He is a member of the Caledonian Curling Club, also of the Ancient Order United Workmen. He also belongs to the Masonic Fraternity and to the Royal Arcanum.

DUNCAN McLACHLAN, founder and proprietor of the Canada Business College, Chatham, Ont., was born in the township of Erin, county of Wellington, Ont., September 19th, 1852. His father Malcolm McLachlan and his mother Christina McDonald, were Presbyterians of Scotch descent, and well known for their intelligence and warm hearted hospitality. At the age of fifteen he entered "Rockwood Academy," where his remarkable talent in penmanship, early evinced, was thoroughly developed, under Alexander McMillan, principal, who was then one of the most prominent educators and skilled penartists in Canada, and to whom Mr. McLachlan attributes much of his success. It was at this Academy, that he qualified for a public school teacher, holding a grade "A" certificate, and afterwards taught school for one year, but his ruling passion asserted itself, and in response to an offer of a position as penman, from a business college in Hamilton in 1872, he removed to that city, and before the close of the first year was admitted as an equal partner in the school, although still a minor, the firm's name, being Tennant & McLachlan. It was in this connection that he won the highest provincial honors in penmanship. In November 1876, the firm decided to open a western branch, and considered Mr. McLachlin best fitted for the difficult undertaking of founding a new school. This enterprise succeeded so well, that today the institution over which he presides, stands in the front rank of business colleges. He is a member of the Masonic Order, having joined the old Barton Lodge of Hamilton in 1876. He is the nephew of Alex. McLachlan, the well known Canadian lyric poet, and a brother of the Rev. Alex. McLachlan, M.A., who is head of the mission college, in Smyrna, Asia Minor, and also a brother of Dr. C. McLachlan, member of the Board of Medical Examiners for North Dakota. Mr. McLachlan was married, Dec. 29th, 1891, to Louise, daughter of Harvey P. Hall, of Sarnia, Ont.

THOMAS CHAPAIS, editor and proprietor of *Le Courier du Canada*, Quebec, Que., was born in St. Denis, county of Kamouraska, Que., March 23rd, 1858. He was educated at Saint Ann's College, where he had a very brilliant course, standing first in nearly all of his examinations. He studied law at Laval University, took his degree there as L.L.L., and was admitted to the Bar in 1879. He began practice as lawyer and became private secretary to the late Lieutenant-Governor Robitaille, during the term of 1879-'83. He took a prominent part in politics in his province since 1882. Mr. Chapais ran unsuccessfully for the Commons, in Kamouraska county, in 1891. He has had the honor to be appointed a member of the Legislative Council, in 1892, and will in this capacity doubtless give a good account of himself. He has a brilliant future before him, and cannot fail to be a valuable addition to that legislative body. In January, 1893, he became minister in the Taillon cabinet, and leader of the upper house. He is in religion a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative of high rank. He was married in January 1884, to Miss Hectorine, daughter of Sir Hector Langevin.

THE VERY REVEREND JOHN STEPHEN O'CONNOR, of Chesterville, Ont., was born in the town of Peterborough, on February 17th, 1828. He is the eldest son of the late Timothy and Julia O'Connor, both natives of the county of Cork, Ireland. Dean O'Connor received his early education in the public and grammar schools of Peterborough, but afterwards studied philosophy and theology in Regiopolis College, Kingston, and completed his divinity course in the seminary of St. Sulpice, Montreal. He was ordained priest in that institution, December 17th, 1853, and thereafter was attached to the Cathedral of Kingston until September, 1856, when he was appointed parish priest of Cornwall. In November, 1866, he was sent to Alexandria county, Glengarry, laboring there until his appointment to Perth in June,1879. While in Perth, he was made a dean of Kingston diocese,by the most Reverend Archbishop Cleary, S. T. D., and in March, 1889, was sent to Chesterville. During his long career of over 38 years, Dean O'Connor has been largely instrumental in improving church property in his different missions, and has also taken an active interest in the cause of education.

EDWARD AARON GRAVELEY, M.D., C. M., Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Que., practicing physician and surgeon, Cornwall, Ont., was born in the city of Quebec, Que., September 23rd, 1854. His father A. L. Graveley, was a native of Canada, and followed the profession of law. Dr. Graveley was educated in the public schools, Cornwall Grammar School and Bishop's College, Lennoxville, graduating from the latter in 1877. He began practice in Cornwall in 1878, and his genial manner and professional skill have won for him a large and remunerative practice. He is a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, and physician to the Stormont county jail since 1880. He is also a member of the Cornwall town council, a member of the Church of England, past master of the Cornwall Lodge No. 125, A. F. & A. M. and a member of the I. O. O. F. In politics he is a Conservative. He is also surgeon to the 59th battalion Stormont and Glengarry infantry. During the North West rebellion, he went in charge of No. 1 field hospital and subsequently succeeded Dr. Orton as brigade surgeon to General Middleton's column. He was present at the battle of Batoche.

ROBERT HODGSON, merchant tailor, Simcoe, Ont., was born in Kendall, Westmoreland county, England, July 3rd, 1829. He is the son of Lawrence and Mary Hodgson, and was educated at the public schools at Lancaster, where he also learned his trade. He located in Simcoe in 1855 and first worked as journeymen for some two years for Mr. W. Greeves, one of Simcoe's oldest merchants. In 1857 he commenced for himself, and has since conducted a successful trade. He does a very large business in clothing made to order, and is very highly respected for his honorable and fair dealing. Mr. Hodgson has been a member of the town council for five years and has taken quite an interest in civic affairs. He was converted in early manhood, and became a member of the new Connexion Church, and from the union became identified with the Methodist Church. He has been a member of the quarterly official board for some time, and is at present one of the class leaders in Simcoe. He is a most devout and earnest christian. He was married, November 4th, 1855, to Miss Jane, daughter of Stephen Newall, of Simcoe. His family consists of four daughters and one son.

PIERRE PAUL MARTIN, merchant, doing business alone as wholesale importer of dry goods, under the name of P. P. Martin & Co., 276 St. Paul street, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Jacques le Mineur, county of Laprairie, P.Q., in March, 1822. His parents were Joseph Eustache and Marguerite (Brassard) Martin. Mr. Martin received his primary education in the parish schools, and continued it in Chambly College. At the age of seventeen, he went to Rochester, N. Y., for his English schooling, where he stayed three years, working for his board and lessons. He began business life as clerk in a retail dry goods store on St. Paul street, Montreal, with Mr. J. B. Germain, in 1842. He commenced business for himself as retail dealer in 1845, having no means whatever. This he continued until 1858, when he formed a partnership with Mr. Jacques Grenier, ex-mayor of Montreal, which lasted until 1866. From 1860, until the dissolution of this partnership, they carried on the wholesale dry goods business, Mr. Martin being one of the buyers in Europe for the firm. He then formed a partnership with Mr. Louis Monat, which lasted until 1872, since which time he has carried on the business alone, having his establishment at the same place for over fifty years. In religion he is a Roman Catholic, and belongs to the St. Jean-Baptiste National Society, also to the Men's Congregation of Ville-Marie, where he was a president from 1872 to 1875. For three years, he was a member of the City Corporation of Montreal, representing the East Ward; was a director and vice-president of La Banque Ville-Marie until 1879. He also belongs to the Montreal Board of Trade, and to "La Chambre de Commerce du district de Montréal." In politics he is a Conservative. Mr. Martin has been married twice; he had no children by his first wife, and was married the second time, in 1869, to Miss Rose J. Fanny Lafleur, daughter of Paul Lafleur, Esq., of Yamaska. His family consists of five children.

JOHN ALEXANDER BUCHANAN, contractor, dealer in timber supplies, etc., Comber, Ont., was born January 15th, 1850, in Harwich township, Kent county, Ont. His parents were John and Sarah (La Rue) Buchanan. The father, a well educated man, came from Glencolumnkiln, Donegal county, Ireland, when eighteen years of age, to Chatham, Ont. Afterwards, he began farming in Howard township, then in Harwich township, and after a short stay in Michigan, U.S., settled on a bush farm in Tilbury, Essex county. Here he remained the rest of his life, and achieved success. He died in 1880, aged 72 years. His wife, aged 78, is still living (1893) and resides with her sons, George and Thomas, at Staples, Ont. Mr. John A. Buchanan struck out for himself, when sixteen years of age. His first savings, $25, went as the first instalment on a hundred acre bush lot worth $525. This he paid for in three years, and then sold it for $1,000. "History repeated itself" with him, until he began business with a capital of $4,000 cash. June 25th, 1878, he married Miss Susanah Jackson, daughter of Thomas Jackson, Esq., of Essex, who has been a true helpmeet to him. In 1881, Mr. Buchanan opened a general store in Comber, and by the help of his good wife, from a beginning of about $13,000 a year, with additional branches, it rose in seven years to $75,000 a year. In 1888, he retired from this business, and since then has had the contract for the ties and other timber, for the M. C. R. from St. Thomas to Windsor, and all its branches. In religion, Mr. Buchanan is a Methodist, being a delegate to Conference, and holding other positions in the church. In politics, he is a staunch Conservative. In municipal matters, he takes a practical interest, and has been honored with a seat at the county council for a number of years. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., and is also a master in the L.O.L. Both he and Mrs. Buchanan, take an active interest in all charitable and church work, and are held in high esteem.

JOHN RIGNEY BARLOW, civil engineer, Montreal, was born in Stornoway, Isle of Lewis, Scotland, July 29th, 1850. His father was Robert Barlow, of the Geological Survey of Canada. The family was originally from Leicestershire, England. Mr. Barlow came to Canada with his father in 1855, and studied his profession under him. From 1872 to 1875, he was employed by the Geological Survey of Canada, after which he spent one year in the United States. From 1876 to 1879, he was working for the Corporation of Montreal, and for several months was chief assistant to Mr. J. A. U. Beaudry, P.L.S. & C.E., while engaged in constructing the Water Works for the town of St. Henri, of Montreal. In July, 1880, he was appointed assistant city engineer of Montreal, and in May, 1892, deputy city surveyor, which position he now occupies. He is a member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers. In religion he is a Presbyterian. He also belongs to the Masonic fraternity. On the 1st of March, 1877, he married Margaret Coutts, daughter of the late Rev. Wm. Darrach, Presbyterian clergyman, and they have a family of five sons and three daughters.

ORLANDO BUSH, M.P.P., trader and manufacturer, Kemptville, Ont., was born in Oxford township, Grenville county, December 25th, 1852. He is the son of Henry and Maria (Stanley) Bush. On his father's side, he is descended from U. E. Loyalist stock, but his mother was born in Ireland. He remained on the farm where he was born until 1880, when he began dealing in general products. In 1885, he commenced dealing in cheese, and now owns three factories complete, and has shares in several others. To him is largely due the rapid development of the present extensive cheese trade in that section of the country. He is a large exporter of cheese to Great Britain, and an extensive dealer in grain and other products. In religion he is a Baptist, and in politics a Conservative. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O.O.F., L.O.L., A.O.U.W. and I.O.F. orders. He was a member of the township council five years, deputy reeve four years, reeve three years, and warden of the county of Grenville during 1888. He was elected to the Ontario Legislature in the general election of 1890. He was married, December 7th, 1882, to Miss Ellen, daughter of the late James Mundle, of Kemptville.

HON. EDWARD MURPHY, Montreal, Que., was born in county Carlow, Ireland, July 26th, 1818. His family claim lineage with Donal *Mor* O'Murphy, a chieftain of considerable power in county Wexford, in the times of Henry VIII. and Edward VI. His mother was a descendant of the distinguished family of the O'Byrne's, of county Wicklow. He came with his parents to Montreal in 1824, where he has since resided. At the age of fourteen, he was put to a commercial business, and from being principal salesman in the extensive wholesale hardware firm of Frothingham & Workman, he became in 1859, a partner of the concern, and to-day, he is one of the senior members of that great house. His faithfulness to, and his grasp of business, have been rewarded with that degree of success attained by few men. While devoting himself to business, he has also taken an active interest in social, political, scientific and religious questions. Himself a devout Catholic, yet his broad nature and generous impulses cover all denominations. He has been a member of, and an office bearer in St. Patrick's Temperance Society since its organization in 1840; has been the president since 1877 of the City and District Savings Bank of Montreal, is one of the harbor commissioners of Montreal, a member of the Board of Trade, a life governor of the Montreal General Hospital, of the Notre Dame Hospital and of Laval University, Montreal. He is also a magistrate and the vice-president of the following organizations: the Natural History Society, the Microscopic Society, the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society. He is a life member of the Art Association, and of the Mechanics' Institute of Montreal. Mr. Murphy was called to the Senate May 30th, 1889. He is a steadfast supporter of the Liberal-Conservative party. He has been twice married; first, in 1848, to Miss McBride, of Dublin, and again in 1863 to Miss Power, second daughter of the late Hon. Wm. Power, Judge of the Superior Court of Quebec, and has a family by both marriages.

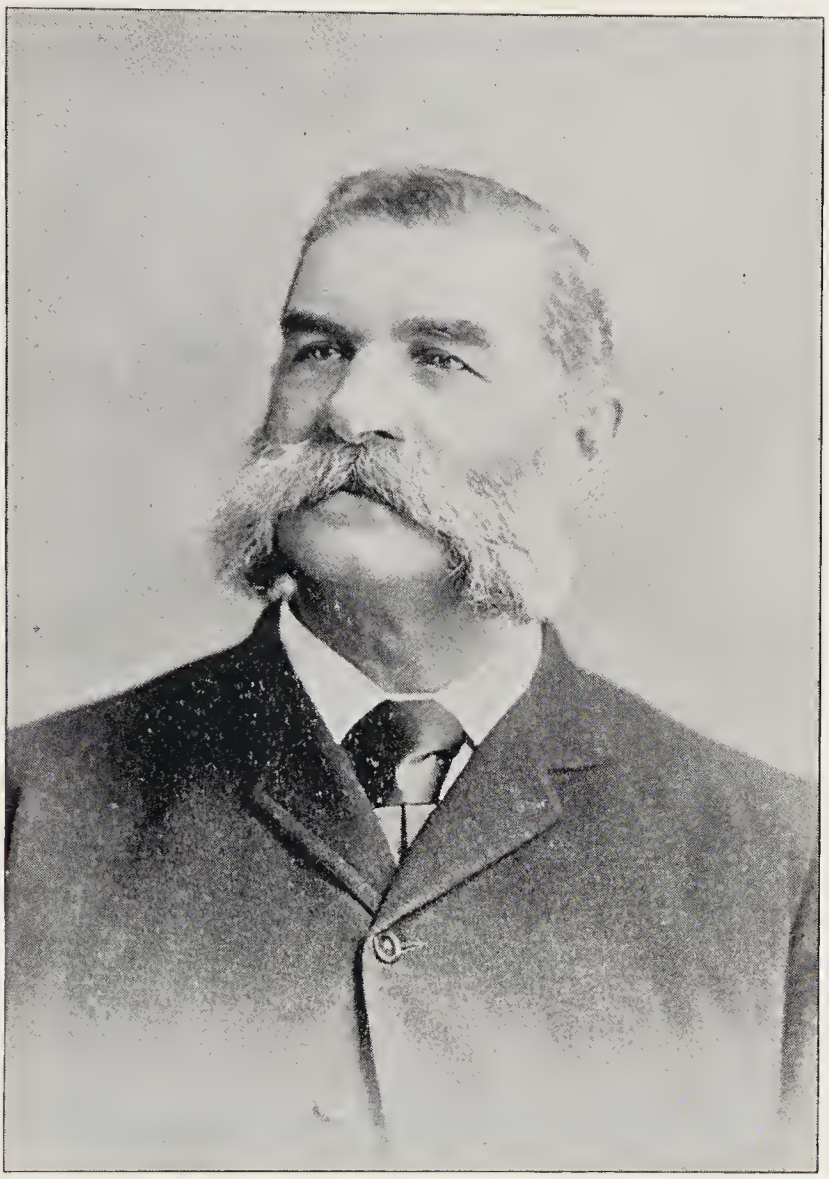
WILLIAM STAHLSCHMIDT, founder of the Canadian Office and School Furniture Co., (limited), Preston, Ont., was born in Cologne, Germany, November 18th, 1844. His father, Rev. D. Stahlschmidt, was a Lutheran minister, who spent many years of arduous toil in connection with his own denomination in both the United States and Canada. Mr. Stahlschmidt located in the United States with his parents in 1848, and came to this country in 1859. He was educated at American and Canadian public schools, the Berlin High School, and Toronto Normal School. In 1868, he became first assistant master of the Preston public school, and the next year he accepted the position of principal of the same school, which position he held for fifteen years. He was married, May 24th, 1871, to Miss Mary, daughter of Rev. H. C. Kaehler, a Lutheran minister. It was as a teacher that Mr. Stahlschmidt gained his inspiration for his life work, and it was his consciousness of the need of improvements in school furniture, that aroused his mechanical and inventive faculties. While yet teaching, he designed and had manufactured for him, such improved and excellent appliances for the school room, that they were soon in great demand throughout Canada, and he was compelled to devote all his energies to their production. Thus, in the spring of 1884, the present well known business was founded. One year later Mr. Jacob E. Klotz was admitted as a partner, the firm's name being W. Stahlschmidt & Co. Their business has increased rapidly, and now orders are coming in from all parts of the Dominion, from Great Britain, France, Belgium, Australia, Morocco, India and the United States, and their goods have found their way into the palaces of Royalty in England and into the Vatican at Rome. In 1889 the firm of W. Stahlschmidt & Co. was merged into a joint stock company with Mr. Stahlschmidt as manager and treasurer, under the name of the Canadian Office and School Furniture Co., (ltd.), and now employ from 70 to 80 hands.

JACOB E. KLOTZ, eldest son of the late Otto Klotz, Preston, Ont., was born December 21st, 1840. He received his education at the public school, and through extensive travels in Germany, acquired such a fluency and pure diction of the German language, as few native Canadians possess. The government, knowing this, soon appointed him Commissioner of Immigration to Germany, from 1872 to 1880, during the Macdonald and Mackenzie regimes. Having good family connections in Germany, he had no difficulty in following with advantage his calling, from his headquarters at Hamburg. Among other successes, the extensive immigration of the Mennonites to Manitoba, a source of wealth to our country, is due to him. Having great sympathy with the Germans, and having made the acquaintance of Prince Bismarck, he assumed the red cross in order to aid suffering humanity at the siege of Paris in 1870-71, witnessing thus the hardships of the Franco-Prussian war. Returning to Canada, he associated himself with his friend, the late Premier Norquay, for developing the coal fields near Medicine Hat, N. W.T., a mine to-day in successful operation. Retiring, he returned to his native home, and noticing the new industry of the school desk manufactory, needing extension, he invested a large amount of capital, to place it on its present successful basis, which soon developed into the so widely and well known "The Canadian Office and School Furniture Company," of which he is vice-president. In 1886, he crossed the ocean, the ninth round trip, to attend the colonial exhibition, London, to establish agencies. In religion, Mr. Klotz, is an active member of the Lutheran Church. On the demise of his father, July 6th, 1892, his many friends on either side of politics, asked him to become his successor as division court clerk, which he refused, prefering to spend his spare hours with his mother. This happiness, however, was not to be enjoyed, as she died four weeks later. He is now travelling in Europe in company with his sisters and niece.

RAYMOND FOURNIER PRÉFONTAINE, B.C.L., M.P., Montreal, Que., was born at Longueuil, Quebec, September 16th, 1850. He is descended from one of the oldest and most honorable families in the province. Receiving a sound education, and being gifted with strong natural ability, a brilliant future was predicted for him. He graduated from McGill University, Montreal, and in 1873 was called to the Bar, receiving the degree of B.C.L. the same year. His success in law has been unusually brilliant, and he is now a partner in one of the leading law firms in Montreal. At an early age, he went into politics, and was soon looked upon as an exceedingly active worker, an orator of great power and a coming man. At the general election of 1875, for the Quebec Legislative Assembly, he was nominated as Liberal candidate for the county of Chambly, and carried the county against overwhelming odds. However, he was defeated at the next election, but was re-elected in 1879. In 1881, at the general election, Mr. Préfontaine found himself again defeated, but the eyes of the Dominion were turned to him in 1886, when he ran as the Nationalist candidate in Chambly. The election was one of the most stubborn and fiercely fought contests in Canada, and resulted in his return. The Dominion elections of 1887 came on before Mr. Préfontaine could take his seat and again he had to go through a great contest, but did so successfully. With a similar result at the next general election he may be considered as possessing the entire confidence of his electors who look with pride upon their champion. Mr. Préfontaine ranks high among his colleagues of the Commons. He does not speak often, but when he does, his remarks are effective. He is possessed of a keen, discerning judgment, and his marked business ability stands him in good stead. The laboring classes owe him much, as he was the member who succeeded in having the first law adopted whereby only one half of the wages of laborers can now be seized for debt.

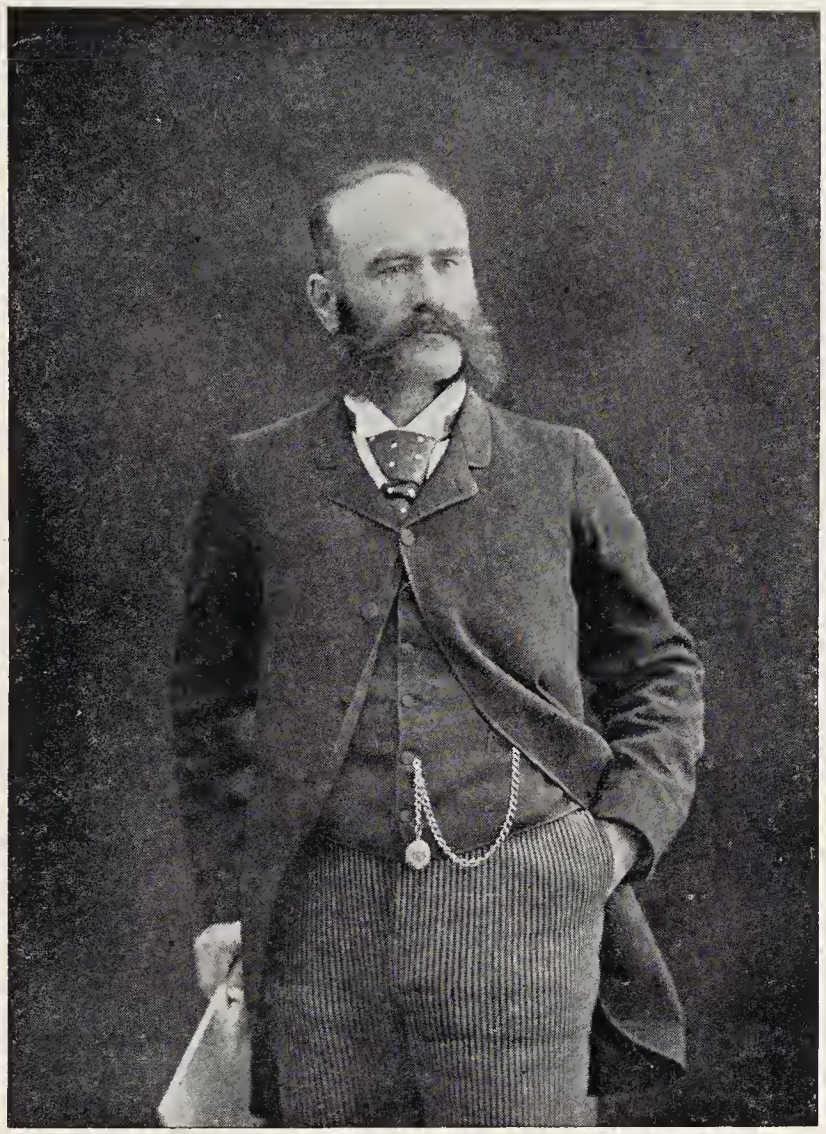
DAVID JOHNSTON, M.B., Toronto, practicing physician and surgeon, Iroquois, Ont., was born at Bouck's Hill, Dundas county, July 28th, 1861. He is a son of John and Mary (McLean) Johnston, natives of Dumfriesshire, Scotland. The former was an enterprising Canadian farmer. After leaving the public school, Dr. Johnston continued his studies in the Morrisburgh High School, and subsequently taught for three and a half years. He then entered the Toronto School of Medicine, matriculating at Toronto University in 1883, and graduating in 1887. In August of the latter year he commenced the practice of medicine as successor to the late Dr. Geo. Colquhoun, in Iroquois. For a young man, Dr. Johnston has attained a high standing in his profession, and gives large promise of becoming a very eminent medical man. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and is a prominent member of the A.O.U.W., having held the office of master workman for two years in Iroquois Lodge, No. 213, and has been chief ranger in the I.O.F. for one year. He has been a member of the High School Board for two years, and is greatly interested in the cause of education. In politics he is a Reformer.

REV. JAMES STUART, Presbyterian minister, Prescott, Ont., was born in the township of Beverly, Wentworth county, April 3rd, 1842. After leaving the public schools, Mr. Stuart attended the Galt Grammar School, subsequently taught for two years, and entered Knox College, Toronto, in 1868, graduating in 1872. He then went to Pakenham, as a student missionary, and was ordained September of that year. After seven years of successful work there, he was enducted into his present charge in March, 1879. The first Presbyterian church in Prescott, was dedicated in 1822, under the late Rev. Dr. Boyd, the second building was erected in 1850, and destroyed by fire in 1892; however, the congregation and pastor, proceeded at once to rebuild, and the present magnificent structure is the result of their energy and enterprise. Mr. Stuart was appointed moderator of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa, May 10th, 1892, which position he fills with ability and dignity. He is a member of the A.O.U.W., and in politics a Reformer. He was married, August, 28th, 1879, to the youngest daughter of Mr. J. Dunnet. His family consists of one daughter.



W. W. OGILVIE, mill owner, Montreal, Que., was born February 14th, 1835, in that city. He is a son of the late Alexander Ogilvie. His education was received at the Montreal High School, and early in life he commenced the business in which he was destined to become so prominent. It may be said of him that he is a miller by inheritance, for the extensive business now carried on by him, was founded by his grandfather, who erected a mill at Jacques-Cartier, near Quebec, in 1801, which was followed by another mill at Lachine Rapids. Mr. Ogilvie is now one of the leading millers of the world, operating extensive mills at different points in Canada, with headquarters at Montreal. The combined output of his mills, is about 7,500 barrels of flour daily, made from 33,000 bushels of wheat, which is supplied from his own elevators in Ontario, Manitoba and the North West Territory. He is a progressive miller, and was the first to introduce the roller milling process into Canada, having made a personal investigation of the new system in Hungary, where it was invented and first put into operation. Mr. Ogilvie possesses a great practical and scientific knowledge of wheat, wheat lands, and the production of flour, equalled by few men, and his immense business is a result of this knowledge practically applied. He was the pioneer wheat buyer in Manitoba, and has contributed largely to the development of that province. From a small shipment of 500 bushels in 1876, the shipments have now increased, to his own mills alone, of 4,000,000 bushels annually. But he excels just as much in his personal and private character, as in his business, and all who are intimate with him, especially his employees, are greatly attached to him. In his magnificent business house at Montreal, there is a handsomely furnished and well equipped reading and recreation room, for the large staff there employed. In religion, Mr. Ogilvie is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Conservative.

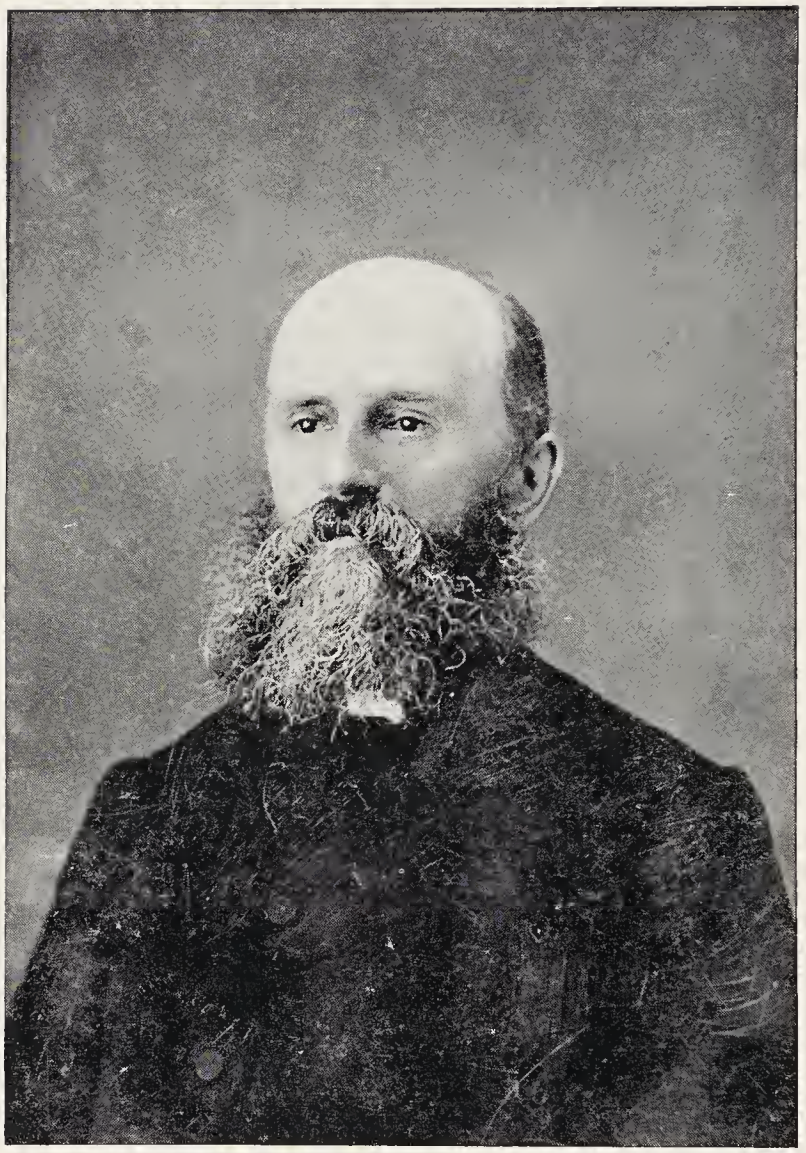
GERALD O'REILLY, M.D., C.M., Fergus, Ont., was born in Hamilton, Ont., February 7th, 1858. His father, doctor Gerald O'Reilly, of Hamilton, was one of the best known medical men in the Province. Until ten years of age, our subject was educated at home by governess and private tutors, when he entered the Simcoe grammar school under the head-mastership of Rev. J. G. Mulholland, where he remained three years, and then entered the Hamilton Collegiate Institute. He matriculated in medicine in 1873, at the age of fifteen years, and entered the Trinity Medical College in 1875, graduating in 1879, taking the degree of M.D. C.M., and also that of M.C. P.S. of Ontario, the same year. He was medical assistant to the Hamilton and Guelph hospitals, and senior assistant house surgeon to the Toronto General Hospital during 1879 and 1880. In January, 1881, he entered into partnership with Dr. Geo. T. Orton, M.P., of Fergus, and the following year bought the practice, on the removal of Dr. Orton to Winnipeg. In July, 1890, he took Dr. H. W. Armstrong (double gold medalist of Trinity Medical College, Toronto), as junior partner, his practice being much too large for one man. In religion, the doctor is a member of the Church of England, and for years a church warden of St. James Church, Fergus. In politics, he is a stannch and active Conservative, and a prominent member of Mercier Lodge, No. 347, A.F. & A.M., has been president of Fergus Turf Club, and president of St. Patrick's Society. He is district medical examiner for the Canada Life, Manufacturers, Ontario Mutual, Sun Mutual, Federal, New York Life, Equitable of New York, Mutual of New York, Ætna of New York, New York Mutual and Reserve, Travellers, Standard, and British Empire Life Assurance Companies. The doctor is unmarried. He belongs to a family of medical men, being a brother of Dr. Chas. O'Reilly, Toronto; Dr. E. B. O'Reilly, Hamilton; and H. H. O'Reilly, manager of the Band of Hamilton, Owen Sound, Ont.



CHARLES ROBERT COUSINS, wholesale flour and grain merchant, St. Johns, Que., was born October 10th, 1852, at Iberville, Que. His parents' names were Thomas and Agnes (Clark) Cousins. His father was English, while his mother was of Scotch descent. Mr. Cousins received his education at the common school of Iberville, and at the High School of St. Johns. He began his business career as clerk, in a general store at St. Johns. In 1881, he bought out the wholesale flour and grain business of James McPherson, and owing to his genial and gentlemanly manner, together with a strict attention to business, has won the esteem of a large circle of friends, and as a result, is now the largest dealer in his line, east of the St. Lawrence. He buys his flour direct from the manufacturers, and deals heavily in Manitoba flour and wheat. He was a member of the town council for three years, but has no taste for public office. Mr. Cousins is a member of the Methodist denomination, and is a trustee of that church at St. Johns. In politics he is a Conservative. He was married, June 6th, 1876, to Miss Alice A., daughter of Solomon Ramsay, of St. Johns, Que.

REV. FRS. GRAHAM LETT, Methodist minister, Merrickville, Ont., was born in Renfrew county, June 29th, 1856. He is a son of Ralph and Sarah (Graham) Lett. The former was a native of Ireland, and a prosperous farmer in this country. Mr. Lett passed through the public and grammar schools at Pembroke, and at the age of fourteen years, obtained a third class certificate, and began teaching, at which he continued for eight years, in the mean time securing a second class certificate. In 1878, he commenced the study of theology privately. Two years later, he took work on a circuit, and served for three years at Huntingdon, Que., Farmersville and Iroquois, Ont. He then attended Victoria College, Cobourg, for two years, and was ordained in May, 1885. After ordination, he served three years at Portage du Fort, Que., Hemmingford, Que., three years, and moved to Merrickville, Ont., June, 1891. In these different places, he has done work which will cause him to be remembered with pleasure. In politics, Mr. Lett is a Reformer. He was married, September 15th, 1885, to Miss A. J., daughter of the late Wm. Sherwood, barrister, of Brockville, Ont.

RIENZI ATHEL MAINWARING, real estate agent, Montreal, Que., was born at St. George, Ont., November 30th, 1849. He is the only son of the late Dr. N. E. Mainwaring of that place. He received his education at the Galt Grammar School and in the Upper Canada College. He removed from St. George to Toronto, in 1886, and entered into the real estate business with Mr. C. J. McCuaig, son of the late Hon. J. S. McCuaig, of Picton, who was already a real estate agent in that city. He became interested in Montreal in 1889, and moved to that city in 1890, opening an office, under the firm name of McCuaig and Mainwaring. He is now a real estate agent of considerable importance in Montreal. He was the moving spirit in the establishment of the street railway electric service, and was also the promoter of the extension of the street railway lines. This was accomplished by organizing a strong association, and with Mr. Mainwaring at the helm, the obstacles have been overcome. He represents companies and syndicates, controlling immense quantities of real estate, and it is safe to predict that we shall hear from him in the future.



REV. WM. ROBERTS, M.B., rector of Trinity Church, Merrickville, Ont., and Christ's Church, Burritt's Rapids, Ont., was born December 28th, 1842. He is the son of William Roberts, of "The Grange" Ellesmere, Shropshire, England. Mr. Roberts received his early training in St. John's School, Ellesmere, under the management of Rev. John D. Day. He came to this country in January, 1867, and was employed as public school teacher, and as organist and choir master in Trinity Church, Hawkesbury, Ont. He also read diligently for Holy orders, and was ordained deacon, in St. George's Cathedral, Kingston, by the Bishop of Ontario, December 20th, 1868, and made priest, July 10th, 1870. His parishes have been, Roslin, Ont., Camden East, and Amherst Island. He has occupied his present charge, since July 1st, 1891. Mr. Roberts, is an under-graduate in arts, and a bachelor of music, of Trinity College, Toronto, and has composed songs and a considerable amount of church music. He is a P.M. of the A.O.U.W., and has been a representative at the Grand Lodge several times. In politics he is a Conservative. He has been married twice.

JOHN MILNE, banker and mayor of Essex, was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1838. In 1841, he came to this country with his parents, and located in Woodstock, Ont. When twelve years of age, he embarked for himself as an errand boy in Toronto, and spent his leisure hours in studying to improve his education, with such a success, that at the age of eighteen, he obtained a teacher's certificate, on which he taught for ten years in York county. However, close confinement injured his health, and compelled him to undertake out-door employment, which he found in the oil fields of Pennsylvania, where considerable prosperity attended him. Mr. Milne subsequently became a contractor on the C. S. Railway, and finally located in Essex in 1873, when it contained but two log houses. He at once took such an interest in the little hamlet, that he is universally acknowledged to be the father of the town. He built saw mills, stave works, machine shop, plow works, planing mills and other works, which employed over 100 men. In 1875, through his efforts, a Division Court was established in Essex Centre, of which he has been clerk ever since. In politics, he is an ardent Liberal, but has declined to become a candidate for Parliamentary honors, on the ground of pressure of business. He is a forcible lecturer, having recently taken a four months' tour through Manitoba and the North West Territories, to present the claims of the A.O.U.W. Order, of which he is grand master. While in the West he formed a grand lodge for that part of the Dominion, and during the ten years in which he was chairman of the Finance committee, he signed warrants for beneficaries for over $1,000,000. Among other municipal honors, he was elected by acclamation first mayor of Essex, and re-elected each year since that time. In religion he is a Methodist, and a trustee of that church. He was married in 1860, to Miss Barbara A., daughter of David Wismer, of Markham, York county, Ont.

REV. DONALD JNO. McLEAN, B.A., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Arnprior, Ont., was born November 1st, 1837, in Cape Breton, N.S. He is a son of Rev. Æneas and Catherine (McLean) McLean. The former was a native of Invernessshire, Scotland, and the latter of Cape Breton. Mr. McLean's father was for many years Presbyterian minister at Dalhousie Mills, and Court St. George in Glengarry county, and died June 10th, 1855. His mother is still living (1892.) Mr. McLean's early education was received at the Williamstown and Cornwall, Ont., Grammar schools. He entered Queen's University, Kingston, in 1852, and graduated in arts in 1855. He then taught in the Grammar school of Williamstown for several years, and returned to Queen's University to complete his theological course, from which he graduated in theology in 1862. He was ordained February 11th, 1863, by the Presbytery of Bathurst, and inducted into the pastorate of St. Andrew's Church, in Kitely township, Leeds Co., Ont., where he remained about two and a half years. He then had charge of the congregations of Middleville and Dalhousie about five and a half years, and was inducted into the pastorate of St. Andrew's Church, Arnprior, April 11th, 1871. Since that time the church has greatly prospered. They have built a new manse and a magnificent new church. Mr. McLean was elected moderator of the Synod of Montreal and Ottawa in 1886, and has always taken a deep interest in the home mission work of the Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew. He is a member of the Free Masons and I.O.F. In politics he is Independent, with Conservative sympathies. He was married December 16th, 1863, to Miss Margaret, daughter of John Hunter, of Kitely township, Leeds county, Ont. His family consists of five children. Mr. McLean is a fluent speaker, and very popular with all who know him. He gives promise of many additional years of labor in the work to which he is so ardently devoted.

CHARLES LACAILLE, of the firm of C. Lacaille & Co., wholesale grocers, Montreal, Que., was born at Boucherville, Que., July 20th, 1827. He is the son of a successful farmer there. He was educated at the Boucherville common schools, and from the age of about sixteen, he has devoted himself to business. At the age of eighteen, he went to Montreal, and obtained a position as clerk in a wholesale grocery, and was engaged in that capacity for about six years, with the wholesale English house of Tiffin & Elliott. In 1854, he formed a partnership with Mr. Villeneuve, under the firm name of Villeneuve & Lacaille. This firm carried on business very successfully for twenty-four years. From 1878 until 1892, Mr. Lacaille carried on the business alone, with increasing success, but in that year took his son into the firm, and they now carry on business together under the name of C. Lacaille & Co. Mr. Lacaille is a successful business man, still in the prime of life, with bright hopes for the future. He has been director of La Banque du Peuple since 1885. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and a member of St. Jean-Baptiste Society.

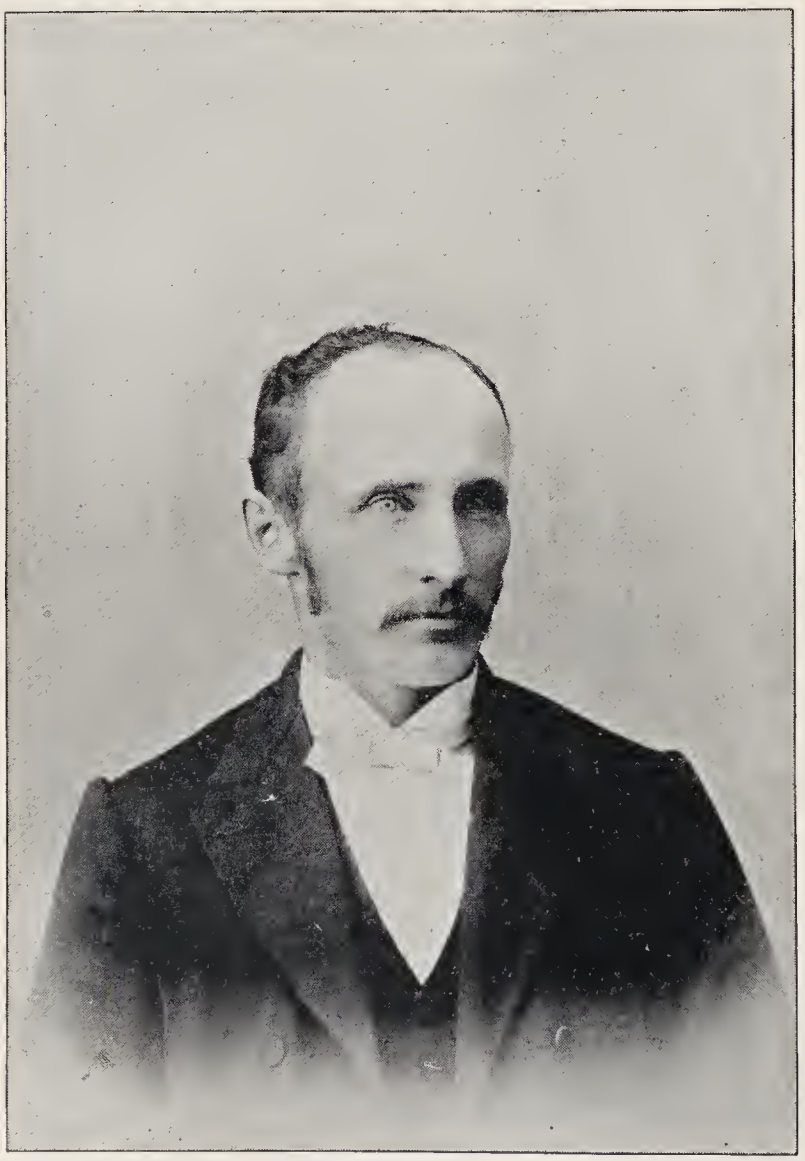
WILLIAM R. HALL, M. D., Chatham, Ont., was born in Richmond Hill, York county, Ont., February 10th, 1852. His father, Henry Hall, was a manufacturer of agricultural implements, for many years superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School and an eloquent and staunch advocate of the temperance cause. Dr. Hall was educated in the public and High schools and then entered Detroit Medical College, from which he graduated in 1877. He subsequently practised for five years, during which time, he took a post-graduate course at New York. He also attended Trinity Medical College, Toronto, two terms and became M.C.P. and S.O. in 1884. The doctor has been medical health officer for Chatham since 1885, and his salary has been increased repeatedly and deservedly, as the sanitary condition of the town has very greatly improved under his able administration. He is an active member of the Board of Trade and several fraternal societies, and takes a deep interest in all public enterprises affecting his own town, and he is an honor to the medical profession. He was married, in 1881, to Eleanor L., daughter of A. Minturn, of Detroit, Mich.

WILLIAM FAHEY, notary public and professor in the Jacques Cartier Normal School, Montreal, Que., was born in the city of Quebec in July, 1845. His parents came to Canada from Ireland in 1831, and settled in Quebec, where his mother, Anne McGoldrich, recently died. Patrick Fahey, his father, still lives (1893) in his 83rd year, and is one of Quebec's oldest and most respected citizens. Our subject had all the advantages of a broad and liberal education, which he received in the Quebec Seminary, at the Laval Model and Normal schools and under private tutors. He graduated in July, 1862, and commenced the study of the notarial profession, and completed his clerkship in 1866. In 1867, the year of Confederation, the Provincial Government shewed their appreciation of his talents by appointing him professor in the Jacques Cartier Normal School, Montreal. This position he still retains. He began to practice in 1873, and enjoys a select and lucrative clientèle. In 1882, he was appointed by the Provincial Government, a member of the Catholic Board of Examiners for the city and district of Montreal. In religion he is a Roman Catholic and a member of St. Patrick's Church. He is a brother of the Rev. Thomas Fahey, attached to that church, also brother of Owen Fahey, of the Inland Revenue Department, Quebec. He is a graduate of the old Military School in Quebec, under the command of Lord Russell, graduating in 1866. He organized the first infantry corps in the town of Rimouski, where he had spent some time in order to acquire a practical knowledge of the French language. Providence has blessed him with material success, and he has gathered a considerable share of this world's goods, among which is a good deal of real estate in Montreal. He would like to see the dawn of that day, however, when a new science will be created by the rich to alleviate, in a more practical way, the wants of the poor and needy, and both by precept and example, he is doing his part with this end in view.

PETER EDMUND JONES, M.D. (Chief Kahkewaquonaby), Hagersville, Ont., was born in London, Ont., October 30th, 1843. He is a son of the late Rev. Peter Jones (Chief Kahkewaquonaby), a celebrated Indian Methodist minister, who died June 28th, 1856. The doctor's mother was a well known English woman, who closed her illustrious career in Brantford, Ont., in 1890. Dr. Jones received his first tuition from his parents and from a governess in the family, but subsequently attended the Brantford public schools for one year, before entering the University at Toronto, which he attended for two years, and then entered Queen's College, Kingston, from which he graduated M.D., in 1866, soon after his 22nd birthday. He began practice at once in Hagersville, but in a short time removed to Niagara, where he remained three years, after which he spent eight months in New York Hospital practice. He then returned to Canada, and re-opened practice in Hagersville. In the year 1873, Dr. Jones married Mrs. Charlotte Dixon, widow of Wm. Dixon of Hagersville, after which he practiced in Brantford for one year, then returned to Hagersville, where he has since remained. The doctor belongs to the Ojibway nation, and about the year 1870, was elected chief of the band. He is also a hereditary chief through his father, and was for years secretary of the Grand Council. He was instrumental in obtaining the franchise, and passing of "The Indian Advancement Act" for his people. In 1880, the Dominion Government made him the Indian agent for the band, he being the first Indian appointed to that responsible position. The name of his band is "The Messissanguas of the Credit," the richest tribe in the province. Dr. Jones for a time edited and published *The Indian*, a reliable and valuable publication on Indian matters. He has the most rare and valuable private collection of Indian relics, and curiosities in the Dominion, and has been solicited to take it to the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893.

DAVID MORRICE, Montreal, Que., was born in Perth, Scotland, in 1832. He attended the High School of his native city, and received a thorough education. Commencing at Perth, he had also large business experience at Dublin, Cork, London, Liverpool and Manchester. In these places he received that experience which has since been turned to such good account. In 1855, he came to Montreal remaining a short time; he then went to Toronto in the employ of a large wholesale establishment, but in 1863, returned to Montreal, and began the immense business now managed by him and his sons. As general merchants and manufacturer's agents, they carry on the largest business in the Dominion. They have warehouses in Montreal and Toronto, and control over forty cotton and woollen mills. On coming to Montreal, he attended the Cotté Street Church, where Rev. Dr. McVicar was Pastor, and the late Hon. Justice Torrance the S. S. Superintendent. On the retirement of the latter, Mr. Morrice was elected, and for a quarter of a century, has been the efficient superintendent of this large Sunday school. In 1876-77, he was an active worker and a generous donor to Crescent Street Church, but the work by which his name will be perpetuated to distant generations, is that part of the Presbyterian College of Montreal, better known as the "David Morrice Hall." This building cost $80,000, and was opened with great rejoicings November 28th, 1882. He has been a liberal giver to the Y.M.C.A., the General Hospital, the Sailor's Institute, the House of Refuge, etc., etc. In June, 1861, he married Anne S. Anderson, of Toronto, a lady who has nobly seconded all his generous undertakings. He has seven sons and one daughter. His two eldest sons are now members of the firm, and another is practicing law. He is a member of various societies. He has been for many years a director and part owner in the large cotton, woollen, coal and other industries of Canada. Mr. Morrice is an eminent example for wealthy men.

REV. G. DUNLOP BAYNE, M.A., Pastor of Calvin Presbyterian Church, Pembroke, Ont,, was born near Ottawa, February 25th, 1856. His parents, John and Margaret (Dunlop) Bayne, were of Scotch descent. After leaving the public schools, Mr. Bayne studied privately for several years, and attended the Presbyterian College, Montreal, for one year, preparatory to entering McGill University, from which he graduated in the spring of 1880. After taking the Dey scholarship in science and mathematics, and also prizes in classics and public speaking, he pursued his theological course in the Presbyterian College, Montreal. He was ordained and inducted into the charge of Wakefield, Quebec, September 6th, 1881, by the Presbytery of Ottawa, and remained there two years and built a fine church. In 1883, he removed to Morrisburg, and took charge of the church there for nearly five years, and largely increased the membership. He was inducted into the pastorate of the Pembroke church, December 29th, 1887, and commenced to preach, January 1st, 1888. He then found a membership of 140 and now has 357 members; and a debt of $10,000, which he found on his arrival, is now reduced to $3,000. Mr. Bayne possesses great energy, is a forcible Gospel preacher, and having excellent executive ability, leads his people in all departments of church work. The Presbyterian Church at Pembroke, holds a somewhat historical position. In 1835, Rev. Jas. Cairns first preached there; in 1843 Rev. Dr. Mann ministered to the people; in 1847 Rev. Henry Gordon was called, but declined; in 1849 Rev. Andrew Melville reorganized the church and became the first settled minister in 1850. The first elders were Alex. Moffatt, sr., David Bell and David Moore. Mr. Bayne, while at Morrisburg, distinguished himself as a teacher of classics in the Collegiate Institute there. He is a Reformer in politics, and is an ardent prohibitionist. He was married June 14th, 1883, to Eliza, daughter of Richard Loucks, of U. E. L. Stock.



H. DION-YOUNG, L.D.S., D.D.S., Montreal, Que., was born in St. Martin, P.Q. He became a citizen of Montreal in 1855. Dr. Young was educated at the College of St. Mary, Montreal, and at the age of sixteen years, entered the office of his preceptor, Dr. Candee, to study dentistry, and in 1873 graduated from Philadelphia Dental College. He came out second in studies in a class of one hundred members. He is practicing with improved methods in crown work, bridge work, &c., and has reduced this line of his profession to almost perfection. During his thirty years practice in Montreal, he has accumulated sufficient to provide for himself and family during his declining years. Dr. Young has lately organized in connection with his confreres, a dental school, which is attached to Bishop's Medical College, with the kind permission of Dr. W. F. Campbell. He is a member of the order of the Artizans, C.M.B.A., and a prominent member of I.O.F., and treasurer of Court St. Louis Lodge. He declined the mayoralty, but was elected councillor for the municipality of Côte St. Louis du Mile End, by acclamation. Dr. Young was married, in 1879, to Miss M., daughter of A. G. Fitzallan, Esq.

REV. THOMAS DAVIS, Catholic priest, Madoc, Ont., was born in Kingston, Ont., February 5th, 1845. He is a son of James and Mary (McArrow) Davis, both of Ireland. His mother was always a Roman Catholic, but his father was a Protestant, until two weeks before his death, when he was converted to the Catholic faith, in which he died in 1892. Father Davis received his primary education in a public school in Kingston, and subsequently attended a private one, and the Christian Brothers' Institute. He graduated from Regiopolis College, under the late Bishop O'Brien, in 1865. He then took a three years theological course in Laval University, and was ordained July 26th, 1868, by Bishop Horan, in St. Mary's Church, Kingston. He was the first Roman Catholic priest who was born, brought up and ordained in that city. On July 12th, 1869, Father Davis took charge of his present parish, where he has remained ever since. At that time his parish included about twelve townships, but has since been reduced. He has built churches at Madoc, Marmora, Queensboro' and Tweed, and also a beautiful Presbytery at Madoc. He has done much valuable service amongst his own people.

ALDERMAN WILLIAM H. CUNNINGHAM, Montreal, Que., was born of Irish parents at Factory Point, Bennington county, Vermont, U.S., September 12th, 1841. He removed to Montreal with his parents in 1849, where his father established the St. Lawrence Marble Works. After the death of his father, and having a desire to travel, he went to Boston in 1869. In the year 1873, he engaged in the marble business at St. Albans, Vermont, and was very successful. He married while in St. Albans, Vermont, and in 1877, after the death of his mother, he returned to Montreal, and re-established the old marble works, which are so well known. He was elected alderman for St. Lawrence Ward in 1887, and in 1890 he was re-elected by acclamation. He was very successful in the advocacy of widening and opening up streets in certain sections of his ward. He has also served on the Fire and Market committees. On the death of his predecessor he was elected chairman of the Market Committee, October 5th, 1891, in which capacity he served until the end of his term, February 1st, 1893. Owing to certain changes in the city charter, desired by the citizens, and owing to defective legislation in the Parliament of Quebec, the amended charter was so mixed up, that it was impossible to know if an election held on February 1st, 1893, was legal or not. The citizens had recourse to the courts in the way of injunctions against holding an election, which was granted by Judge Doherty. Under the circumstances, Mr. Cunningham did not consider it worth the loss of time and expense to offer himself again for election. Alderman Cunningham was one of the first to advocate, in the city council, the running of electric cars through the streets of Montreal. He was a most industrious alderman, and many are desirous that he should again enter the field for civic honors. He is also a member of the Council of Arts and Manufactures of the Province of Quebec, and has been vice-president of St. Patrick's Society.

SAMUEL STEWART, B.A., M.D., Thamesville, Ont., was born in the county of Donegal, Ireland, September 30th, 1859. His parents are John and Martha (Logan) Stewart, who still live in Ireland, and are staunch Ulster Presbyterians of exemplary piety. After a thorough training in the common schools of Ireland, Dr. Stewart came to Ontario in 1874, and resided with his uncle, James Stewart, at Brampton, who henceforth directed his education. In the Brampton High School, he won the Board prize, for being the first to pass the then new intermediate examination. In 1877, he entered the University of Toronto, and graduated in Arts in 1881, with honors in Natural Science. In the autumn of that year, he entered the Toronto School of Medicine, and obtained the degrees of M.D., C.M., at Victoria University in 1883. In June of the same year, he received the appointment of assistant surgeon to the employees on the Algoma branch of the C. P. R., then under construction. He returned to Toronto the following year, and graduated with honors in medicine in 1884, receiving the degree of M.B. At the Spring examination of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, he also passed the examination for licentiate the same year. In June, 1884, he began practice at Wallaceburg, where he remained until 1892, when he removed to Thamesville. In religion, the doctor is an ardent Presbyterian, having been, while at Wallaceburg, superintendent of the Sunday school, clerk of Session, representative elder and commissioner to the General Assembly from the presbytery of Chatham on two occasions. He is past master of the A.F. & A.M. and A.O.U.W. orders, and past chancellor of the Knights of Pythias. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., C.O.F., and a life member of the Grand Council of Ontario of the Royal Arcanum. Politically, he is a Conservative. He was married in June, 1885, to Margaret E., eldest daughter of D. McFarlane, merchant, Thamesville, Ont.

WATSON PARISH CHAMBERLAIN, M.D., C.M., physician and surgeon, Morrisburg, Ont., and coroner for the counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, was born in Morrisburg, May 19th, 1863. He is the son of Dr. T. F. and Annetta J. (Parish) Chamberlain, both natives of Ontario. Dr. Chamberlain's father was a prominent figure in political circles, a successful medical man, and now inspector of prisons and asylums of Ontario, Toronto. After attending the public and high schools, our subject entered Queen's University, Kingston, in 1881, and took a three years' course in arts. After spending one year in Montreal, he entered the Royal Medical College, Kingston, in 1885, graduating in 1888. After this he practiced with his father, attending the New York hospitals in the Winters, for practical instruction. He succeeded his father in Morrisburg, in 1890, and will undoubtedly obtain a large practice. In religion the doctor is a Methodist; in politics, a Reformer. He is also a member of the masonic fraternity, A.O.U.W. and Select Knights. He was married, October 1st, 1890, to Miss Ida Electa, daughter of the late Rev. W. H. Schofield, of Brockville, Ontario.

REV. JOHN EDWARD MAVETY, Methodist minister, Morrisburg, Ont., was born in the township of Loughboro, Frontenac county, Ont. He is the third son of John and Letitia Mavety, and a member of a family of nine children. His eldest brother, James, and one of his sisters are deceased. Robert is a mechanic in Kingston; Rev. Dr. Mavety is stationed in Kaukakee, Ill.; Alexander, is a physician in Toronto, and Albert F., a physician in Kingston. Our subject taught on a first-class certificate for seven years, and was then received as a probationer in the M. E. Church. His pastoral charges were Milford, two years (before ordination, as deacon); Iroquois, two years (after which he was ordained elder); Picton, three years; Brockville, three years; two years in charge of the finances of Kingston Jubilee Church; two years presiding elder of the Kingston District; three years in Winchester, after which he was appointed to Morrisburg, in 1890. He is chairman of the Matilda District, a member of the General Conference, the Book Committee, and of the A. F. & A. M., A.O.U.W. and Select Knights. He was married July 6th, 1874, to Emma, daughter of R. H. Garrett.

ADOLPHE DAGENAIS, M.D., Montreal, Que., was born May 2nd, 1836. His father was Louis Basile Dagenais and his mother Marie Josephte Grignon. Dr. Dagenais was educated in the Montreal College, finishing his classical course with great success at the age of seventeen years. He then began to study medicine under the late Senator Dumouchel, M.D., of St. Benoit, county of Two Mountains, Que. He attended the lectures of the School of Medicine and Surgery, Montreal, and took his license from the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Lower Canada, on May 11th, 1858. He became a member of this college in 1872, graduated at Victoria University in 1867, and received the diploma of Laval in 1879. Dr. Dagenais was editor of *La Gazette Médicale*, in 1867, with the late Dr. E. Lemire, and in 1872 he started *L'Union Médical du Canada*, with Drs. J. P. Rottot and L. J. P. Desrosiers. That medical review is now in its 22nd year, and is the oldest French medical paper in America. He wrote in this journal many articles, some of which were reproduced in European reviews. He was president of "La Société Médicale de Montréal" in 1876, and was twice elected president of "La Société St. Jean-Baptiste" of St. James parish. Was secretary of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, from 1876 to 1879, and treasurer since 1889. He is also medical examiner in the French department of the Canada Life Insurance Company, and of many benevolent societies, was assistant professor in the School of Medicine and Surgery, Montreal, in 1872, but resigned this position in 1878, to take the chair of obstretric and clinical obstretric in Laval University. Was visiting physician to the Hôtel-Dieu, from 1870 to 1878. Dr. Dagenais is a Roman Catholic in religion, and is a staunch Conservative in politics. In 1864, he married Marie Louise Ozine Mercier, daughter of N. Mercier, trader, of Montreal. He has had eleven children, seven of whom died in infancy, those living are Marie Louise, Augusta, Josephine and Claire.

REV. WILLIAM H. GANE, Methodist minister, Amherstburg, Ont., was born near the town of Ingersoll, July 10th, 1851. His parents, William H. H. and Elizabeth Gane, came from England in 1840. Mr. Gane prepared for matriculation in Toronto University, in the Ingersoll High School, but financial reverses rendered a university course impracticable. He then began life on his own account and taught school for five years. His subsequent success in the ministry is largely due to the experience gained during these years of self denial and toil. He began his probation in the Methodist ministry in 1875, and after serving Exeter, London North, Kirkton and Leamington, was ordained the 8th of June, 1879, in London. Mr. Gane has spent one year at Blenheim, one year at St. George and three years in each of the following places, Alvinston, Elimville and Lyons, and Amherstburg. His first year in Elimville witnessed the conversion of nearly 500 souls. He has the record of leaving his charges in excellent condition spiritually and temporally. As a preacher, Mr. Gane is thoughtful, practical and evangelical. He has also contributed to some of the leading periodicals of Canada and the United States, and two of his larger poems, "Madeline" and "Eyrion," have been highly spoken of. When he arrived in Amherstburg, he found the congregation worshipping in a frame church, which had done duty for fifty years, and in Malden two small congregations worshipped in two small edifices. His first work was to unite the congregations in Malden; he succeeded, as the handsome church dedicated August, 1892, testifies. He also built a fine new church in Amherstburg, and has been in every way successful on this charge. Mr. Gane is pursuing a course of post graduate study in philosophy in Otterbein University, Ohio. He was married, October 27th, 1880, to Miss Emmeline L. H., only daughter of Wm. White, Chatham, Ont. They have three children, Silas, Pearl and May.

EDWARD R. BARTON, L.D.S., surgeon dentist, Montreal, Que., was born July 19th, 1869, in West Kent, England. He is a son of Edward Barton, Esq., and a grandson of the late Captain Barton, of Her Majesty's Royal Navy. Mr. Barton commenced his education in England in the schools of Blackheath, Kent. He came to Canada early in life and completed his education in this country, matriculating in arts at the University of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, Que., in 1886. After this he commenced the study of dentistry, and after a successful career as a student, passing his examinations with great credit, was admitted to practice his profession in 1890. He at once opened an office in Montreal, and has secured a large and growing practice. Although a young man, he has already taken a foremost stand in his profession. He is the treasurer of the Odontological Society of the Province of Quebec, and a member of the Montreal Microscopical Society. In 1892 he was honored by the important appointment of lecturer on dental pathology and therapeutics in the Dental Faculty of Bishop's College, Montreal. Doubtless higher honors are still in store for him.

REV. THOMAS McLACHLAN, B. A., Presbyterian minister, Hagersville, Ont., was born in Erin, Wellington county, Ontario, March 12th, 1862. He was educated at the public schools, Collingwood Collegiate Institute, Toronto University and Knox College. He began his university course in 1885, taking honors in metaphysics in his second year, and after engaging in mission work in Manitoba for a short time, returned to the university and graduated B.A. in 1890. He received his theological education at Knox College, which he attended for three years, and graduated in the Spring of 1892. During the Summer of 1890, he satisfactorily supplied Caledon and Ballinafad, and served the Church at Hagersville during the Summer of 1891. After graduating he received a call to become missionary of that church, which he accepted, and was inducted and ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian Church on May 31st, 1892. While in Manitoba, his station at Holland grew so rapidly, that it was deemed advisable to erect a place of worship there, which has since become an important centre of Christian work. Mr. McLachlan is an able Gospel preacher and temperance worker.

JOHN BARKER VOSBURGH, licentiate of dental surgery, Montreal, Que., was born in Ottawa, August 27th, 1859. He is the third son of John Shibley Vosburgh, contractor and constructor of railways and canals, who was the eldest son of John Vosburgh, of Hartington, Ont. John Shibley Vosburgh, was married to Elizabeth Barker, third daughter of Dr. Edward John Barker, late editor and publisher of the *British Whig*, Kingston, Ont. Mr. John B. Vosburgh received his education at Lennoxville and Montreal. When sixteen years of age, he was indentured with the late Dr. J. H. Webster, of Montreal, as a dental student. In 1882, he went West to Manitoba, and practiced his profession for two years. In 1884, he went to St. Paul, Minnesota, and practiced dentistry for five years. During this time he formed many friends and had a very large and lucrative practice, but having a yearning for his native land, he returned to Montreal in 1889, since which time he has continued his profession there with great success. He is the registrar of the Dental Faculty of Bishop's University, also professor of Operative Dentistry in the same institution. Mr. Vosburgh is a leading member of the dental profession in Montreal, and although still a young man, he has taken a prominent part in all professional matters, and doubtless greater things are in store for him, for men who have the secret of success generally retain it. Mr. Vosburgh is a member of the Episcopalian Church, and in politics is a Conservative, but takes no active part in political matters. He is also a member of the masonic order. He was married in Montreal, 31st July, 1883, to Miss Sara Kent, only daughter of Thomas Kent and Sara Fulton, of Montreal. His family consists one son and two daughters, namely: Reginald Fulton, born in Montreal, Que., May 20th, 1885; Rena Maud Pope, born in St. Paul, Minnesota, on 16th March, 1887, and Vera Gwendoline, born in Montreal, Que., 21st September, 1891.

STEPHEN THOS. REEVES, merchant trader, Windsor, Ont., was born in Sandwich, December 26th, 1844. His father, James A. Reeves, was publisher and proprietor of the Amherstburg *Courier*, and served his country as a volunteer in the rebellion of 1837-38, and was present at the Yonge street affair. Mr. Reeves was left an orphan at the age of five years, and the little education he received, was obtained at the Sandwich public schools. After this, he was apprenticed to Thomas Woodbridge, harness maker, Sandwich, and remained at that business until 1876, when he entered the large exporting fish establishment of C. W. Gauthier, and after a few years, succeeded to the entire control of that business, which now embraces the exclusive trade on the Canadian side of Lake Huron. In addition to this, Mr. Reeves is secretary of the Manitoba fish companies. Notwithstanding the duties of his busy life, he has found time to give attention to the welfare and improvement of his city, and has for four successive years, been the recipient of aldermanic honors. Through his efforts as chairman of the fire, water and gas committee, the city has adopted an electric plant of its own. He is also interested in military matters, and was a volunteer of Sandwich county, No. 1, during the Trent affair, and was color sargeant when the company disbanded. He was subsequently attached as supernumerary of the 23rd Battalion, and in 1885, on the organization of the Essex Fusileers, was appointed quarter master, and has latterly filled the office of adjudant. Politically, he is a Conservative, and an effective worker in the ranks of the party. In religion, he is a Methodist; he is also a member of the I.O.O.F., in which order he has filled all the offices in Frontier Lodge, and is a P.C.P. of Encampment No. 2. In a word, he is a man of push, tact and method, and his integrity has won for him the esteem and respect of all who know him. He was married in 1869, to Mary Jane, eldest daughter of Walter Shorland, of Windsor, Ont.

A. CHRÉTIEN ZAUGG, M.D., Montreal, Que., was born in that city in 1864. His father, Chrétien Zaugg, was born at Berne, Switzerland, and his mother M. Guimond, is a native of Montreal. Dr. Zaugg was educated in St. Thérèse Seminary, subsequently passed a course at the Jesuits' College, and finished his studies with a private preceptor. He began the study of medicine in the Victoria School of Medicine, Montreal, where he remained from 1882 to 1886, after which he went to Paris, France, and studied the eye, ear, nose and throat diseases, under Baron de Wecker and Dr. Chatellier. In January, 1888, he became first assistant of these two leading men of Paris, occupying that position until October, 1891. He now gives clinics every day at the Hôtel-Dieu, where he has a very large practice. For a man of his years, Dr. Chrétien Zaugg has certainly secured a very enviable position in his profession, and if his past is in any way an evidence of his future career, he will be one of our best known specialists. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He is a member of the Société d'Optholmologie de Paris, Société d'Otologie, Rhinologie et de Laryngologie de Paris.

REV. CLIFFORD T. BENNETT, B.A., pastor of the Methodist Church, Jarvis, Ont., was born in 1856, in the township of Nelson, county of Halton, Ont. He is a son of W. J. and Sarah Bennett. His father is a successful farmer in that township, and an earnest Methodist. Rev. Mr. Bennett spent his early life on the farm. He obtained his education at the public and high schools of Ontario and at Victoria University. He took an Arts course in the latter institution, graduating B.A. in 1882. Mr. Bennett's special forte is philosophy, and in that department he excels. He entered upon the study of law with bright prospects, but the convictions of his early life, that he was called to the Christian ministry, were renewed, and he yielded to the call. He joined the Methodist Conference in 1883, and was ordained at Woodstock, Ont., in June, 1886. He has travelled the following circuits: Sheffield, Stevensville, Oxford Street, Brantford, and his present circuit at Jarvis. Mr. Bennett is an able Gospel minister, and as he is yet a young man, doubtless a bright future is ahead of him. He was married, August 10th, 1887, to Miss Minnie Smith, of Burford.

JOS. PETER CHARTRAND, M.D., C.M., professor of practical anatomy in Laval University, surgeon to the Hôtel-Dieu, and consulting physician to the Providence Dispensary of the University of St. Pélagie, Montreal, Que., was born in St. André Avelin, Ottawa county, Que. His parents were Joseph Chartrand and Leocadie Bélanger. The former is a prominent notary, residing in Montreal. Mr. Chartrand was educated at Joliette College, and after that studied medicine at Victoria University, from which he graduated second in his class, took the degrees of M.D., C.M., and immediately commenced practice at Actonvale, in Bagot county, Que. After remaining there some sixteen months, a vacancy occurred in the chair of chemistry in the Montreal School of Medicine and Surgery, and out of several candidates for the position, the doctor was chosen to fill the chair, which he continued to occupy until 1891. This year he spent in Paris, making a special study of surgery, in all its departments, under such eminent specialists as Professors Verneuil, Guyon, Ledentu, Doloris and Pozzi. His attainments in, and knowledge of surgery, were of such a high degree, that on his return from Europe, in 1892, he was named professor of toxicology, and entered the Hôtel-Dieu as surgeon, and very flattering things are said of him by the profession, since he has held that position. He is physician to the "Compagnie d'Assurance La Canadienne," the "Société des Artisans Canadiens Français," the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association, and the I.O.F. Society. Dr. Chartrand is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Conservative. He was married, September 6th, 1887, to Miss Anna, daughter of the late Dr. Étienne Prevost. His medical course was a very brilliant one, as he graduated M.A. at 22 years of age, and was appointed a professor at 23. He is now (1893) only 31 years of age, the youngest member of the Montreal medical faculty. As the doctor is yet a young man, doubtless high honors are in store for him in the future.

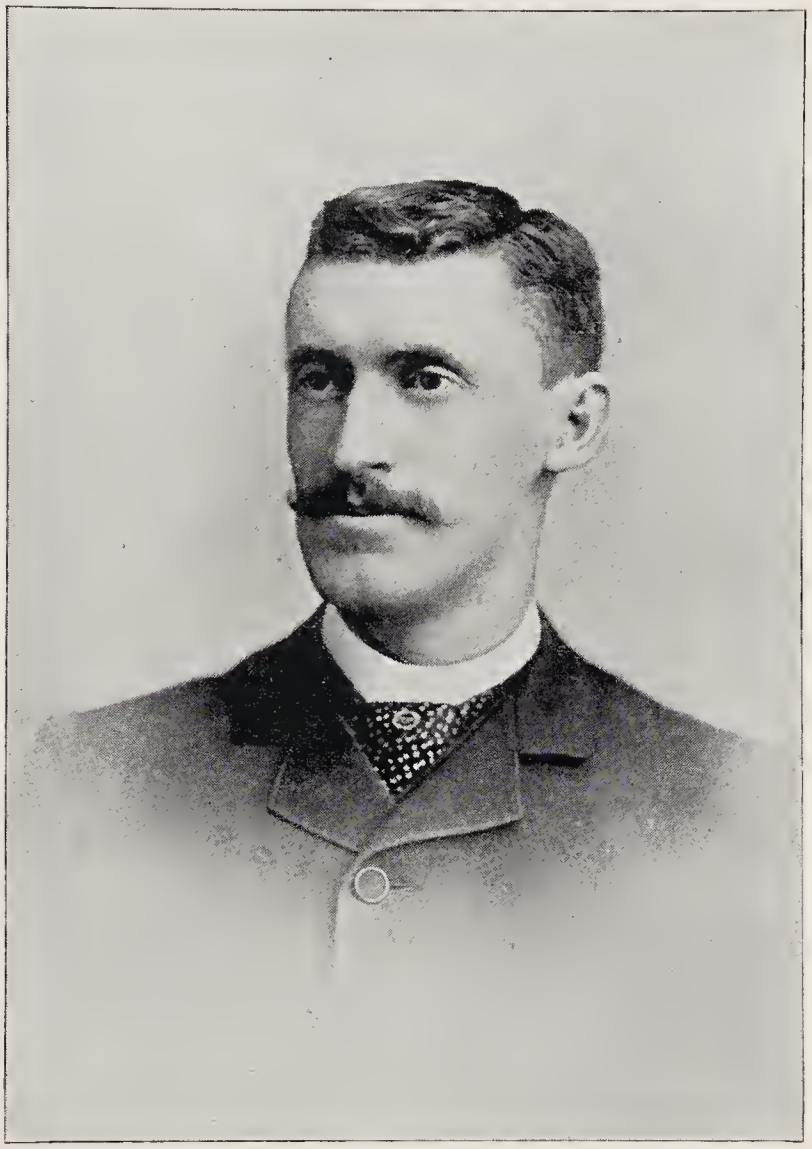
AUGUSTUS E. RONDOT, merchant, Amherstburg, Ont., was born in Essex, Ont., October 15th, 1856. His parents were E. and Sophia (De Quindre) Rondot, and were among the early pioneers of Essex county. The former who is still enjoying good health, came from France when quite a young man, and taught school for a number of years after arriving in this country. He subsequently followed farming with such success, that he now owns a large amount of real estate. For several years he sat in the County Council, but latterly has declined further municipal honors. Mr. Rondot was educated at the public schools near his birth place, and afterwards attended the Sandwich school for two years, when he entered commercial life as clerk in a store in Amherstburg, where he remained for four years, and then began business for himself. Like many other business men, Mr. Rondot has had his successes and reverses, but by his careful industry and integrity, has always held the esteem and confidence of those who have done business with him, and in this way has secured an extensive and flourishing business. The firm of Doneau & Rondot now carry a very large and well assorted stock, and cater to the best class of people in Amherstburg. In addition to this, our subject holds a large number of paid up shares in other very valuable private enterprises, and is now one of the successful business men of the county. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic and in politics a Conservative. He has often been solicited to become a candidate for municipal honors, but has declined owing to the large amount of attention his business requires. He is made of the material which sooner or later forces men into prominence, and places honor upon them by making them indispensable to the public life of the community. Mr. Rondot is a member of the C.M.B.A., A.O.U.W., K.O.T.M., and Chosen Friends societies. He was married, February 27th, 1889, to Miss Nellie M. Boyle, of Detroit, Mich. His family consists of one son.

CALVIN VICTOR CAMPBELL, B.A., principal Central School, Windsor, Ont., was born in Whitby township, Ontario county, September 12th, 1866. After the death of his mother, Mr. Campbell lived for some time with his grandfather, Calvin Campbell, from whom he received much that was valuable in the way of precept and example. He was educated in the Ottawa schools, winning in 1884, the Governor-General's medal for Classics, and the Gilmour medal for Moderns, and matriculated at Toronto with honors. After some time spent in teaching and in attending the Model and Normal schools, Mr. Campbell entered Victoria University, Cobourg, where he won distinction in the Literary Society, being chosen valedictorian in 1890, in which year he was also graduated with first-class honors in mental and moral science. In the same year he was appointed principal of the Central School, Windsor, though but twenty-three years of age. As Mr. Campbell is a strong public speaker and possessed of considerable originality, he should have a useful, if not a brilliant future. In politics, he is an Independent, but keeps abreast of progressive thought; in religion, a Methodist, and unmarried.

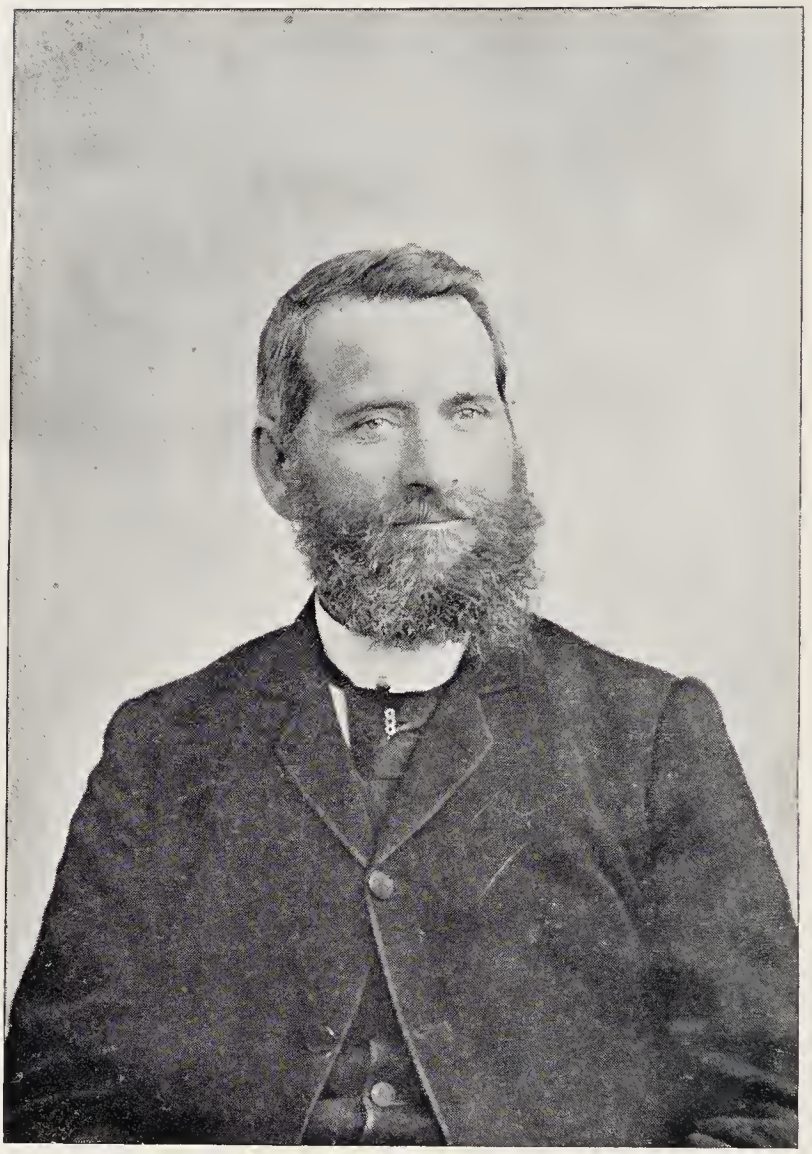
EDMUND CAZALET FEILDE, M.D., practising physician and surgeon, Prescott, Ont., was born in that town, March 27th, 1859. He is a son of the late Fulford B. Feilde, assistant commissary general to H.M.S., who did duty in nearly every part of the world where the British Empire extends. Dr. Feilde's mother was Catherine, daughter of the late Rev. Robert Blakie, first rector of the Church of England, in Prescott. He received his early education in the public and High schools, and entered the McGill University, Montreal, October 1st, 1877, from which he graduated in the Spring of 1881. He immediately commenced to practice in Prescott, where he has a large and increasing practice. Dr. Field is a member of Episcopal Church. He also belongs to the A.F. and A.M., (being a Past Grand Chapter officer in the Royal Arch) the A.O.U.W. and the Select Knights, and is physician to all these societies. The doctor is also a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario. In politics he is a Conservative. He was married, June 16th, 1885, to Miss Catherine, daughter of Capt. Thos. Lee, of H. M. 20th Regiment, Prescott, Ont.

BHAL BROWN, manager for Canada of the London & Lancashire Life Assurance Company, Montreal, Que., is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Brown, of Whitby, Ont. He was born 4th December, 1854. He received his education in the public schools, Whitby High School and Brantford Collegiate Institute. When about twenty-one years of age he began teaching, and so continued for two or three years, then attended a term in each of the Provincial Normal schools, Toronto and Ottawa. He then went to Brantford Collegiate Institute, completing his course for first grade second certificate. Teaching was resumed at Branchton, Waterloo county, and continued until 1881. In addition to teaching, insurance was made a study, and considerable business in fire and life insurance obtained through canvassing. The remuneration in the insurance business was more favorable than in teaching, and was adopted as a profession. In the Spring of 1883, he accepted the offer of the London & Lancashire Life Assurance Company, of inspector for western Ontario. This soon embraced the whole of Ontario, and later the inspectorship was superceded by the appointment of superintendent of agencies for Canada. In 1889, the position of manager for Canada became vacant by the death of Mr. William Robertson, and was offered to Mr. Brown, and accepted by him. The position of manager for Canada, of the London & Lancashire Life, is one of responsibility. The Canadian branch has authority to deal with all matters pertaining to the conducting of the business in Canada. The Canadian business of this company now in force amounts to $8,000,000, and the annual income is $300,000, while the invested assets in Canada are $1,500,000. The board of directors are composed of Sir Donald A. Smith, K.C.M.G., chairman, R. B. Angus, Robt. Benny, Sandford Fleming, C.M.G. The company has a bright future before it, and is filling a sphere of great usefulness. Mr. Brown is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and in politics is a Conservative.

ENOCH JAMES, manager of the Montreal Roofing Company, and an alderman for St. Lawrence Ward, Montreal, was born in Devonshire, England, in 1854. He came to Canada with his parents in 1858, and settled at Montreal. His father began manufacturing, and in a short time won the confidence of leading men of the city by his superior workmanship and sterling integrity. Those qualities were inherited by his son, as a very successful business career fully proves. From the days of his boyhood, Mr. James had to devote all his time to business, hence opportunities for study were limited, but he so well applied his leisure to self-culture, that he is one of the best informed men in the country. From modest beginnings, he gradually built up the roofing trade, till to-day, the Montreal Roofing Company, under his wise and enterprising management, is the largest concern of the kind in the Dominion. Some of the finest buildings, public and private, at Montreal and elsewhere, have been covered in under his direction, his name being always a guarantee of excellence. In 1892, in response to the wish of a large number of the citizens of St. Lawrence Ward, where he had lived all his life, Mr. James accepted nomination for alderman, and was elected by a majority of over 200. St. Lawrence Ward is situated in the heart of the commercial metropolis, and is one of the most intelligent and wealthy sections of the city. The same qualities which distinguished Mr. James in private and business relations, have been conspicuous in his conduct of municipal affairs, with the result that he has the full confidence of his constituents. Should he choose to devote his abilities to public life, a brilliant future is undoubtedly before him. Besides his roofing business, he is connected with several other enterprises, and although a very busy man, he always has time to give a helping hand to those less fortunate than himself. He is kind-hearted, a successful business man, an exemplary citizen and a popular alderman.



NELSON J. JONES, Essex, Ont., was born in Maidstone, Essex county, June 16th, 1857. His parents Alfred and Sarah (Williams) Jones, were persons of sterling worth, and in their kind hospitality, were typical of the early Canadian pioneers. Mr. Jones received such education as the public schools of his days afforded, after which he worked on his father's farm until about twenty years of age. In early life a severe calamity robbed the family of everything they possessed, and Mr. Jones had then to assist in the maintenance of the household. His efforts, however, have been successful, and to-day he has an excellent business, and is one of the most highly esteemed men in the community. He is a member of the A.O.U.W. and I.O.O.F. Orders, and has been on different occasions solicited to stand for municipal honors, but so far has refused. He is interested in whatever relates to the comfort, safety and progress of the town. Mr. Jones is a Methodist in religion, in politics a Liberal, and is foremost in all good work in either Church or State. He was married, in 1887, to Miss Martha, daughter of Thomas McCreery, Esq., of Gosfield. He has one daughter.



P. C. McGREGOR, B. A., head master of the High School, Almonte, Ont., was born December 6th, 1842, in Glasgow, Scotland. His parents were Duncan and Grace (Campbell) McGregor, who removed to America, and settled in Lanark county, Ontario. Mr. McGregor received his early education in the Balderson Public School, and Perth and Kingston High schools. He entered Queen's University, Kingston, in 1863, and graduated in April, 1866, after which he taught in the High schools of Bath, Morrisburg, Niagara-on-the-Lake, and Brockville. He has always held the position of principal. He accepted the head mastership of the Almonte High School, in 1874, subsequently went to Brockville for a short time, and returned in July, 1882, and has since placed the Almonte School in the front ranks. In religion, Mr. McGregor is a Presbyterian and an elder in that Church; in politics, he is a pronounced Reformer. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., C.O.F., A.O.U.W., S.O.S. and S.O.T. He was married, December 25th, 1879, to Miss Kate Ferguson, daughter of the late John McNabb, of Beckwith, Lanark county, Ont. He has three children.

D. WILLIS MASON, J.P., merchant and manufacturer, Windsor, Ont., was born at Bunker Hill, Indiana, Vt., U.S. A., in 1862. He is the eldest son of Geo. W. Mason, a retired merchant, and mayor of Sandwich. After finishing his course at the public schools, Mr. Mason attended the Windsor High School, and subsequently entered L'Assomption College, to prepare for matriculation in medicine, but failing eye sight compelled him to relinquish his plan. In 1878, he concluded to enter commercial life, and began as clerk in Newcombe & Endicott's establishment in Detroit. After remaining four years with this firm, he returned to Sandwich, and entered business with his father, as general merchants and manufacturers. In 1889, the firm located in Windsor, and shortly after the business passed into his own hands. In January, 1892, he was visited by a disastrous fire, but his determination and energy overcame this drawback, and he has again one of the finest establishments in Canada. Some two years prior to this, he founded the Mason Brick and Tile Works, which are located on the Detroit River at Sandwich, and also launched the Mason Nut, Lock Bolt Works of Chicago, about the same time. Mr. Mason has also given public matters considerable attention. Before reaching his majority, he was appointed town auditor, and soon afterwards elected a member of the board of education, on which he served until elected mayor of the town, three years later. He was the youngest man ever elected to the mayoralty in Canada. He is an ardent Reformer and always found in the foremost ranks of battle. He has always been connected with the vital interests of his city, and encourages whatever tends to its welfare and improvement. He is a member of the Episcopal Church, one of the directors of the Y.M.C.A., a member of the A.O.U.W., and Knights of Pythias societies, and is C.C. & P.C. to the latter order. He was married in 1882, to Miss Clara Wegg, of St. Thomas, Ont., a sister of D. S. Wegg, Esq.

GEORGE R. CRUICKSHANK, B.A., M.D., C.M., L.R.C.P. and L.M., Edinburgh, physician, Windsor, Ont., was born at Weston, Ont., November 10th, 1859. His parents were James and Agnes (Wallace) Cruickshank. His father, a native of Aberdeenshire, Scotland, has been a prominent Justice of the Peace in York county for many years. Dr. Cruickshank began his education at the Weston public and High schools, and continued it at University College Toronto, where he took honors in natural science. In 1881, he commenced to teach in Prescott High School. In January 1882, a better position was secured in Chatham, but in July 1883, he resigned, to study medicine in Toronto. During the long holidays of the medical course, he taught for short terms in Walkerton, Ingersoll and Simcoe High Schools. Having graduated M.D. with honors at the University of Victoria College in 1886, Dr. Cruickshank commenced his profession in Scarboro, but subsequently finding the fatigue of a large country practice too severe, he sold out and went to Great Britain for hospital study. Having passed the examinations of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburg, he continued his studies in London and New York, and returning to Canada, began practice in Windsor in 1890, getting almost at once, a foremost position. In politics, Dr. Cruickshank, is not in accord with either party. He believes in the unity of the Anglo-Saxon race. He is sanguine as to the future of his country, and believes that it needs, for immigration and commerce, Independance; for the building up of interests fitted to survive, free trade; for the abolition of boodling and honesty of electorate, direct equitable taxation and civil service reform. The doctor would have promotions made from employees only, new men to be properly tested. In 1886, Dr. Cruickshank married Emma, daughter of the late C. A. Jones, and grand daughter of Robert Knight Payne, a highly respected pioneer of Chatham, Ont.

GEORGE PARRY SYLVESTER, M.D., C.M., Galt, Ont., was born near Bowmanville, Durham county, Ont., December 19th, 1852. His parents were Henry and Eliza Sylvester. Dr. Sylvester began his education at the public and High schools of Bowmanville, from which he passed to Upper Canada College, and subsequently to Trinity Medical College, graduating M.D., and gold medalist in 1875. He immediately began to practice in Galt where he has since remained. During this period, the doctor spent a good deal of time in New York, attending the hospitals and post graduate institutions there. He has occupied a prominent position in connection with the hospital work of the town of Galt, making a specialty of surgery, and has occupied many important positions in connection with the town and surrounding country. He has been a member of the School Board and also of the town Council. He belongs to the A.O.F., A.F. and A.M, Royal Arcanum, Workmen and Home Circle Societies, and is examiner and physician for them all. Dr. Sylvester was married, February 19th, 1877, to Miss Lottie A., daughter of Richard Reid, Esq., merchant, Bowmanville, Ont.

HONORÉ BEAUGRAND, journalist, Montreal, Quebec, was born at Lanoraie, 9th of March, 1848, and educated in Joliette College. He entered the Military School in 1865. Passing there, he went to Mexico, and joined the French army. After two years, he returned to France, receiving the Mexican medal. He then went to Fall River, Mass., and commenced his career as a journalist. He returned to Canada in 1878, and founded the well-known paper *La Patrie*. He received in 1885, the Cross of a Knight of the Legion of Honor, from president Grevy of France. His paper is a recognized organ among the Liberals of Quebec. In 1885, he was elected mayor of Montreal, defeating Hon. J. L. Beandry, who had the office for ten years, and whom it was considered impossible to defeat. During his term of office, he displayed remarkable powers of organization and fitness for office at a critical time, namely: during the Riel trouble, small pox epidemic, and the floods of 1885 and 1886. He was one of the most efficient mayors who ever sat in the civic chair of Montreal. Mr. Honoré Beaugrand, was married to Eliza, daughter of S. Walker, of Fall River, Mass.

MARTIN J. COLLIER, carriage manufacturer Windsor, Ont., was born in the City of Montreal, Que., in 1848. Losing his parents in infancy, he spent the first thirteen years of his life with the Hon. John O'Connor. He was educated by private tuition in Detroit and in the public schools of Windsor. On leaving the latter, he was apprenticed to the waggon making trade, at which he worked six years. The next three years he spent in travelling through the United States, subsequently worked at his trade for four years in the city of Chicago. He then removed to Kentucky and followed the same line of business, but returned to Chicago two years later and remained until the great fire of 1870, when he removed to Windsor, and after working at his trade for a short time, formed a partnership which existed until 1878, when he bought his partner's interest and has since then made a specialty of high-class work in carriage making. Mr. Collier's customers are among the wealthier men of the city, and in consequence of the superior work done by him, his business is steadily increasing. He is most careful in all the details of his work, shows particular skill in purchasing his material, employs none but first-class mechanics, and gives personal oversight to every article made on his premises. Having a ready grasp of all the requirements of his trade, he brings to bear on every department, the skill and experience of a thoroughly practical training. In religion, Mr. Collier is a Roman Catholic, and a member of the C.M.B.A. and the C.O.F. In the former order he is vice-president, and treasurer in the latter. He is also a member of the Windsor Board of Education. He was married, in 1870, to Miss Mary F. Burns, of Chicago, U.S.A. His family consists of three children, Kathleen, Irene, Arthur J. and Leonard, the latter deceased. Kathleen finished at St. Mary's Academy, Windsor, June, 1892, carrying of the gold medal for Christian doctrine. Arthur is at present attending the Jesuit College at Detroit, U.S.A.

JOS. ABRAHAM LOMME, general merchant and mayor of St. Johns, Que., was born June 15th, 1842, at St. Mathias, Que. His parents were Simon and Julia Lomme, both natives of the Province of Quebec. Mr. Lomme was educated in Marieville College. After leaving school, he entered upon a mercantile career as a clerk in St. Johns, P.Q., remaining there two years, and on 14th August, 1864, left with three friends for St. Louis, Missouri, with the intention of going to Montana gold mines that summer, but after reaching St. Louis, he found it was impossible to reach Montana that fall, as the only way to travel was by stage, in a wild country. He remained in St. Louis until the Spring of 1865, and at the opening of navigation, on 4th April, left in company with several who came from St. Johns, for Fort Benton, Montana. They sailed on the boat commanded by Capt. Laberge, formerly from Montreal, being 90 days on the boat. At Fort Benton they had to take wagons, and it took four days to reach Helena City, Montana, arriving there on 4th July. He was engaged as clerk with leading merchants in this city until the Fall of 1866, when he started a store in Silver Bow Deer, Lodge county, Montana, with Messrs. Murphy & Stevenson, and remained there two years. He then left for Stevensville, Misonla, starting business for himself, and remained there until the Fall of 1876, when he returned to his native province. In the following year he started a general store in St. Johns, Que., where he has conducted a remarkably successful business ever since. After spending one year in the municipal council, he was elected to the office of mayor in 1891, and re-elected in 1892. In politics, Mr. Lomme is a Conservative and in religion a Roman Catholic. He was married, June 4th, 1877, to Miss Célamire Rainville, daughter of Félix Rainville, of Ste. Angèle, Que., and sister of the late Hon. F. Judge Rainville and H. B. Rainville, advocate and alderman of Montreal. His family consists of two daughters.

HUGH R. McDONALD, choir master and instructor in voice culture, Chatham, Ont., was born in Kingsville, Ont., June 5th, 1864. He received his education at the Kingsville public school, and subsequently took up the study of music and voice culture, which he has continued to follow very successfully. He is now choir master in the Park Street Methodist Church, Chatham, in which his wife oocupies the position of organist. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald are well up in their profession and are favorably known and appreciated in musical circles. They occupied a similar position in the Presbyterian Church, at Chatham, for a considerable length of time. Mr. McDonald possesses a voice of wonderful compass, nearly three octaves. He was instructed by the celebrated professor Sprague, and sings with ease, bass, baritone or tenor. Mrs. McDonald received her musical education from the famous professor Gubb, and is not only well fitted to entertain, but also to instruct others. Mr. McDonald is a Reformer in politics, a Methodist in religion, and a member of the I.O.O.F. and R.T. of T. societies. In 1888, he was married to Miss Ella Wilson, daughter of an officer in the Crimean war.

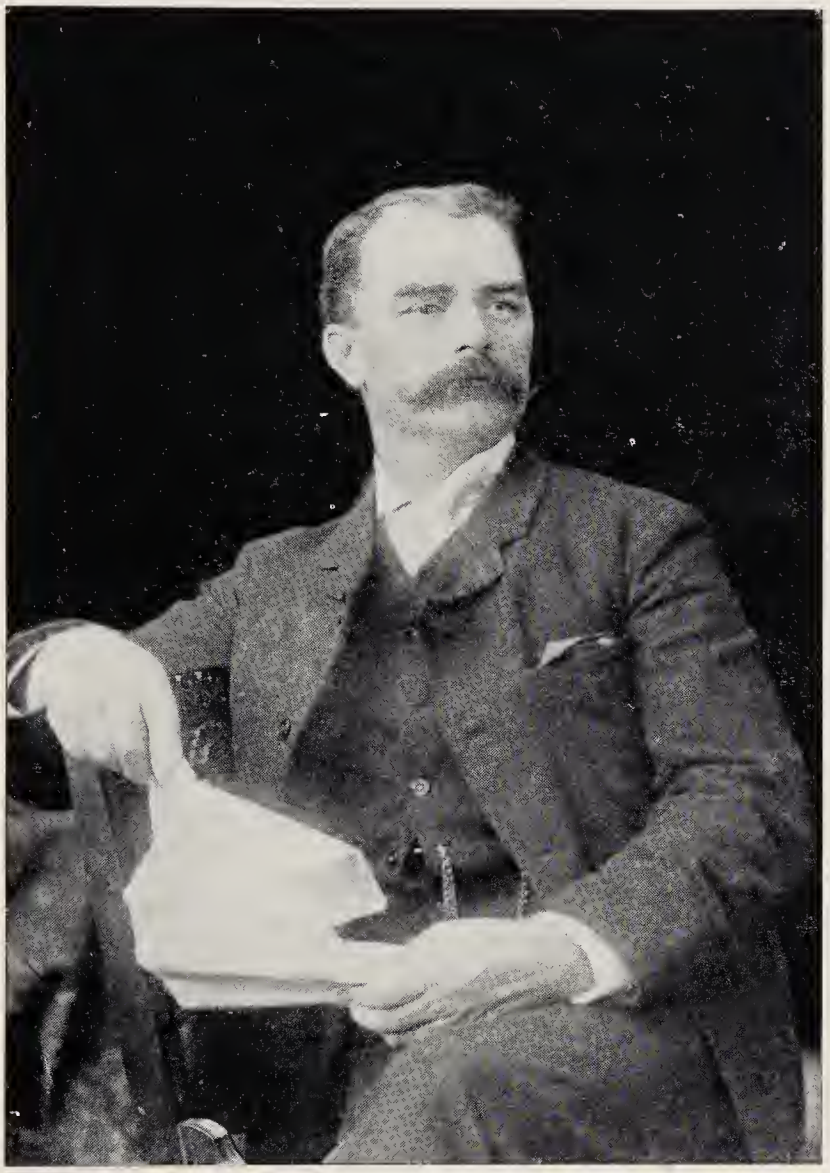
DR. JAMES MANN, physician and surgeon, Renfrew, Ont., is the son of the late Rev. Alexander Mann, D. D. and Mary L. Beattie, both natives of Scotland. His father was the first Presbyterian minister of Pakenham, Ont., where the subject of this sketch was born. The doctor received nearly the whole of his primary education from his father. Before entering College he attended the Pakenham Grammar School one year only. He graduated from Queen's University, Kingston, in the Spring of 1869, and immediately commenced to practice medicine in Renfrew, where he has continued since with remarkable success. He has really more professional calls than he is able to attend to, and is known far and near as an able and skillful medical man. In religion, Dr. Mann is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and a Past Master in the A.F. and A.M. He is also examining physician to, and a member of the I.O.O.F., I.O.F. and C.O.F. societies. In politics, he is a Conservative. During his student days, he gave considerable attention to military matters, and was called out for active service during the Fenian raid. He is still unmarried (1892).

MAJOR GEORGE WILLIAMSON, senior partner of the well known firm of Williamson & Crombie, saw millers, Kingsbury, Que., was born February 9th, 1833, at Sanquhar, Dumfrieshire, Scotland. His parents were Robert and Marion Hannah Williamson, whose ancestors lived at "The Barr," near Sanquhar for over two hundred years. Major Williamson was only six years old when his father died. He came to America in 1848 and his mother followed him the next year. She died at Kingsbury, Que., January 1st, 1888, aged 94 years. The Major received his education at the parish schools of his native place. On coming to this country he lived one year in Montreal, and then removed to Melbourne township and settled on a farm. In 1855 he bought out Clark's mill at Kingsbury. The first year he conducted this mill, his expenditure was but little more than $300.00, now, however, the annual business expenditure of the firm is over $35,000.00. Besides the large saw mills, the firm own ten thousand acres of land. Major Williamson was for many years secretary and director of the Missisquoi Valley Railroad (now the Orford Mountain Road) and was largely instrumental in getting the road to Kingsbury. He is a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, also a Royal Arch Mason; was a member of the municipal council of Melbourne and Brompton Gore for eight years and was mayor during six years of this time. He was appointed a justice of the peace for the district of St. Francis in 1862. Major Williamson has never taken an active part in politics, He was married, in 1864, to Susan Steel, daughter of the late Thos. Steel, of Richmond, Que., by whom he has had a family of two sons, viz.: Robert, who died June 28th, 1890, and Thomas, now in business in Montreal, with his uncle, the firm's name being Steel & Williamson. He has retired from the active volunteer force, retaining rank and has the rank of Lt.-Colonel, commanding Reserve Militia of Richmond county.

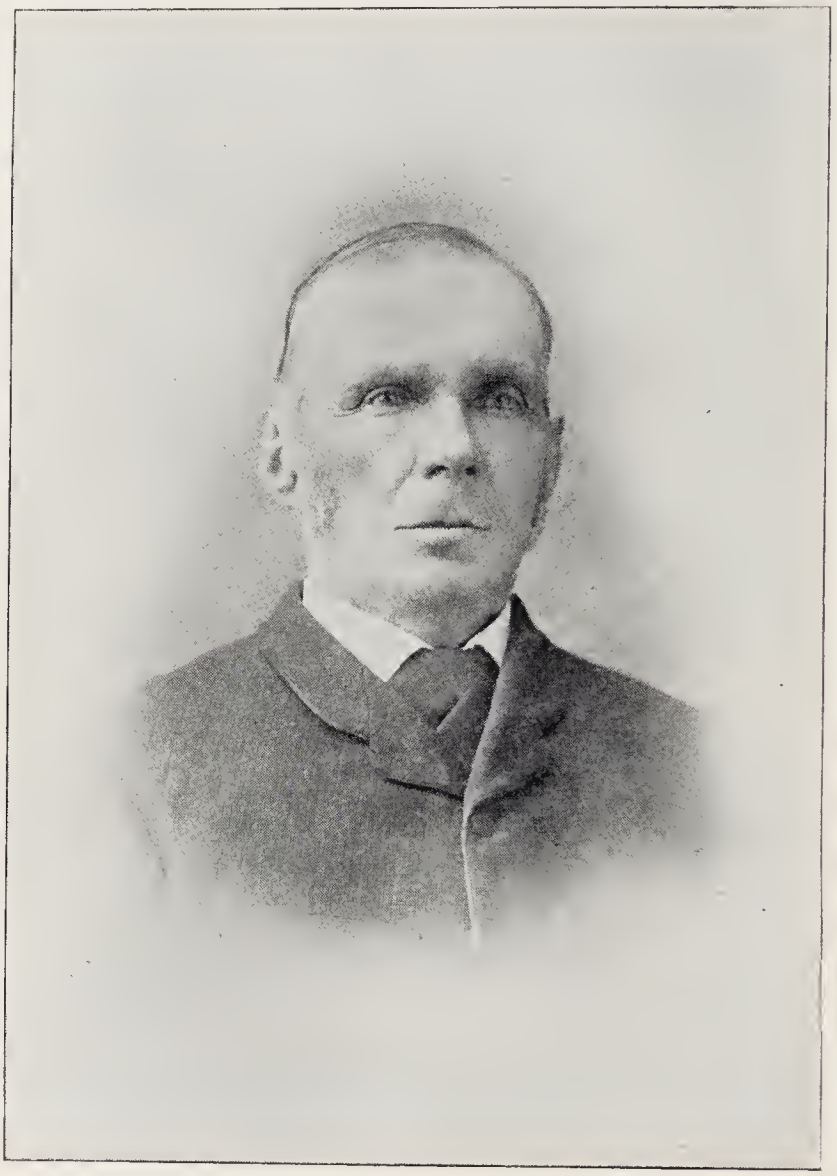
ALFRED EDWARD MAXIMILIAN BOHRER, pianist and teacher, was born in Montreal, on the 25th of February, 1860. He is the son of William Bohrer (the well known teacher of singing and of the pianoforte), who was born in Stuttgart, Wurtemburg, Germany, and descended from a family of artists of great repute. Gaspard Bohrer, his great grandfather, born in 1744, at Mannheim, Germany, was a celebrated performer on the double-bass, and held the post of first player on that instrument at the Royal Court of Munich, Bavaria. Anton and Max Bohrer, sons of Gaspard, scored success after success in the artistic world; the former as a violinist, and the latter as a violoncellist, the two brothers giving concerts together throughout Germany, Austria, Holland, Denmark, Sweden and Russia, besides visiting London and Paris. Alfred Edward Maximilian Bohrer (kown as Max), began his musical education at the age of seven years, his father (a pupil of Drs. Lebert and Pruckner, of the Stuttgart Conservatory, and of Pacher and Sechter, of Vienna), being his sole instructor on the pianoforte, and later on, in Harmony. He was educated at St. Mary's College, in Montreal, pursuing at the same time his musical studies. On leaving college, he went into music more thoroughly, and had the great honor, when only thirteen years of age, of playing to Rubinstein, while the latter was in Montreal, in 1873. In the year 1878, the family was called over to London, Eng., and this afforded young Max an opportunity of initiating himself more deeply into the secrets of his art. Needless to say that he heard, while there, all the great pianists of the day. After four years' study in the great metropolis, he returned to Montreal, in 1882, and performed at several concerts with success, which is mainly due to his beautiful singing touch, the principles of which he acquired from his father (an exponent of the German school). His annual recitals with his pupils are regarded as musical treats.

REV. FATHER EUGENE BLOEM, Parish Priest of St. Mary's of the Lake, North Bay, Ont., was born in Heerlen, Province of Limburg, Holland, January 29th, 1861. He received his classical education in the College of Roermond, his philosophical course at the Seminary of Rolduc, and his theological course at the Grand Seminary of Roermond, Holland. During his course at the latter, he carried off the prize of two hundred gilders given by King William of Holland. He was ordained August 5th, 1883, by Bishop Paredis, and in September, 1883, was appointed curate of Stramproy, remaining one year, then chaplain to the Sisters of our Saviour's Academy at Roermond, remaining three years. In 1887, he was appointed assistant priest for North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and the missions south of Lake Nipissing. In 1890, when the mission south of Lake Nipissing were formed into a parish, he became their parish priest, (residing at Powassen) and one year later he succeeded his brother, the Rev. Joseph Bloem, in the parish of North Bay. In addition to the church, the Roman Catholics have a handsome separate school at North Bay, costing about $3,500.

EDWARD MOMPESSON MORGAN, M.D., M.H.D., C.M., practicing homœopathic physician, Kingston, Ont., was born in the city of Montreal, November 28th, 1868. His parents are Charles G. and E. H. (King) Morgan, both natives of Montreal. The former has been connected with the Merchants Bank of Canada for over twenty years, and is now manager of the branch at Perth. Dr. Morgan began his education at the public schools, and subsequently passed a course at the High School in Renfrew, after which he attended the Royal Medical College, Kingston, graduating M. D.C.M. in 1890. In the Winter of 1890-'91 he took a post-graduate course in Hahnemann Homœopathic College, Philadelphia, Pa., and in 1891-'92 was an assistant surgeon in the hospital connected with that institution. Throughout his entire educational course he stood well in his classes, acquitting himself creditably, and is now busy laying the foundation of an extensive practice, and he will doubtless rank as one of the foremost medical men of our country. In politics, the Doctor is an Independent; in religion, a member of the Church of England. He is also a member of the I.O.F. Society.



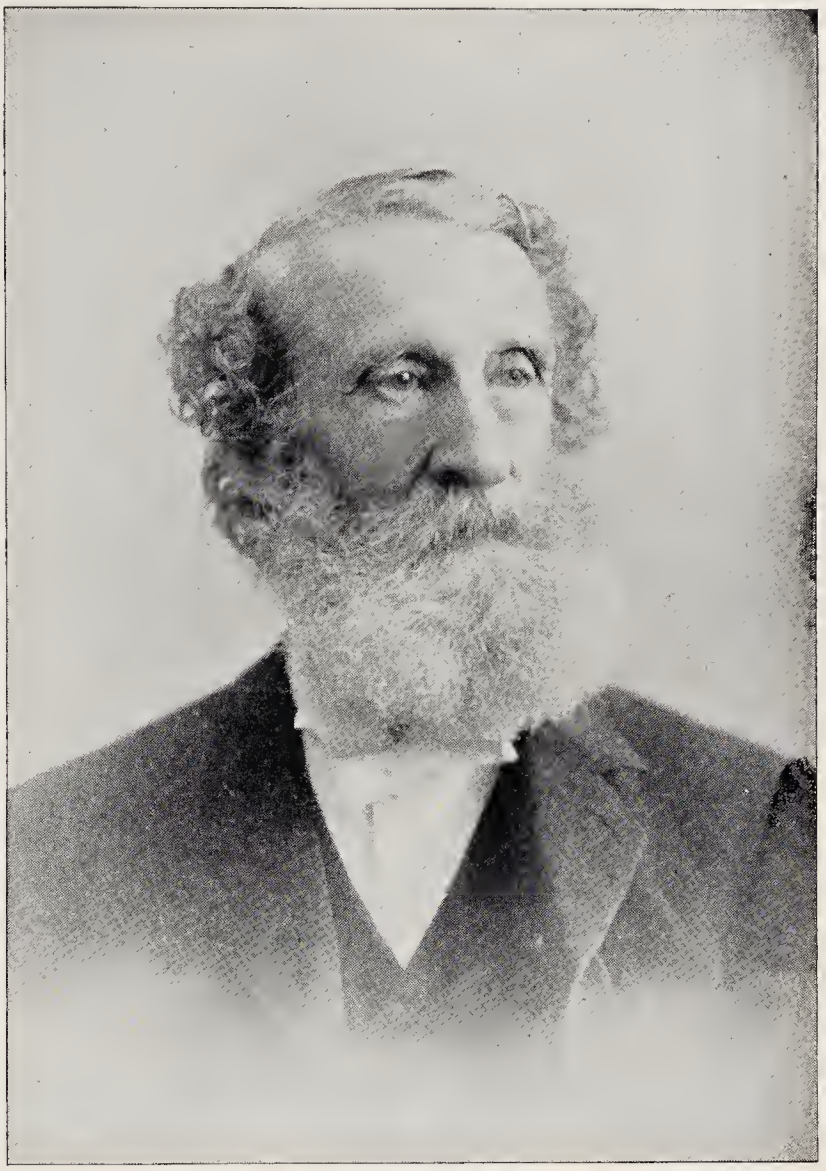
GEORGE JOHNS, carriage builder, Rothwell, Ont., was born in Hampton, Darlington township, Durham county, January 10th, 1852. His father, George Johns, a man of education and refinement, and his mother, Elizabeth Piper, came from Devonshire, England, over forty years ago. Mr. Johns was absolutely denied the advantages of education, having been obliged to work his own way since very early boyhood, but being a stranger to the word "fail," he persevered, and has made a success of life. When a mere lad, he worked for farmers for the munificent sum of $2.00 per month, and at the age of thirteen, went to his trade in Wardsville; when seventeen years of age, came to Bothwell, a skilled workman, and at intervals went to school about nine months, which was all the education he received. On reaching Bothwell, almost empty handed, he rented the premises he now owns, and by persevering industry and honest endeavor, has slowly but surely risen in the estimation of his townsmen, first as councillor for five years, then as reeve for six consecutive years, and was subsequently honored by the county with the highest municipal office in its gift, that of warden. It is well-known that ex-warden G. Johns, takes a sincere interest in whatever tends to the improvement, comfort and prosperity of the town, and lives in the respect and confidence of his fellow townsmen. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M., I.O.O.F., C.O.F. and I.O.F. orders. In the former society, he has been senior deacon for three years, and in the latter order, chief ranger for three terms. For many years, he was chief of the Bothwell fire brigade, and leader of the Bothwell band. Of late years, he has given considerable attention to dealing and raising roadster horses; at the present time, his stock consists of 57 head. These range all the way from well gaited horses worth $100, to standard bred performers worth $3,500. He was married in 1871, to Mary, daughter of Alex. McAlpine, reeve of Euphemia.



PIERRE LANGLOIS was born in Windsor, Ont., November 12th, 1814, died May 11th, 1892. He was one of those pioneers whose sterling qualities did so much in writing the history of our Western Peninsula, and whose strength of character never failed to exercise a great influence on his fellowmen. From 1857 to 1870, he sat in the municipal council. During this long term of civic honors, he became widely known and thoroughly appreciated. A happy souvenir of his public career, was the visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales to Windsor, in 1860. Mr. Langlois was the first alderman to exchange greetings with the Royal visitor, who graciously expressed his delight at finding *la belle France* represented in the Far West. The last few years of his life, Mr. Langlois spent in the enjoyment of his family circle. His residence was the abode of an abundant hospitality, kind and open hearted towards all, he knew no enemy. One and all found in him the genial, frank and courteous manner characteristic of the French pioneer. He was an ardent Roman Catholic, whose life was in harmony with the teachings of his church, to which his generosity, as well as to the poor, had become proverbial. Few there are who leave as many devout deeds to perpetuate their name as did this distinguished head of one of the leading French families in Western Ontario. He married, Jan. 11th, 1841, Zoë Pajot, who died Nov. 6th, 1882. She was the daughter of Chrysostôme Pajot and Françoise Parent, of Sandwich. Mr. Pajot, another worthy scion of French descent, was the owner of the first steam grist and carding mills in Western Ontario. The family of Mr. Langlois consisted of ten children, six surviving, *i. e.*, Christine, Alexandrine, wife of D. Ouellette, real estate agent; Adèle, wife of Elie Gegnac, merchant; Annie, wife of D. Barron, merchant; Vandrille, now Sister Euphrasia of the Order of St. Joseph's, London; and Onésime Langlois, B.A., M.D., C.M., L.C.P.S.O., coroner of Windsor and graduate of McGill University, Montreal.

REV. ANDREW SHAW GRANT, B.A., B.D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Almonte, Ont., was born October 10th, 1860, in Huntingdon county, Quebec. His parents were Thomas and Mary (Fraser) Grant. His father was a native of Inverness, Scotland, and his mother was born in Canada. After receiving his primary education in Huntingdon Academy, Mr. Grant entered McGill University, Montreal, in 1882, and graduated in 1885. He took his theological course in the Presbyterian College, Montreal, and in connection with his graduation work, took the degree of B.D., also studied medicine in McGill University for three sessions. He took a post graduate course in Edinburgh, Scotland, in the winter of 1889, and on his return to Canada, accepted a call to St. Andrew's Church, Almonte, succeeding the late Rev. Dr. John Bennett. Mr. Grant was licensed by the Montreal Presbytery in the Spring of 1888, and was ordained by the Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew, and inducted into his present charge August 26th, 1889. Mr. Grant is a man well qualified for his work. He was married, Oct. 10, 1889, to Miss Caroline Alberta Wetherald of Richmond, Ind., U.S.A.

JAMES S. WARDLAW, M.D., C.M., Galt, Ont., was born in Tillicoultry, Scotland, August 27th, 1855. His father was John Wardlaw, a manufacturer of woolen goods. Dr. Wardlaw came to Canada in 1856, and was educated at the public schools of Toronto, the Grammar School of Guelph, and received his professional training at Trinity Medical College, Toronto. He graduated M.D., C.M., in 1888, from Trinity and Queen's Universities, being the silver medalist of his class, and took first class honors each year during his course. When a boy, he learned engineering with Goldie & McCulloch, Galt, which he followed in Scotland, the East Indies and in Canada. After graduating he began to practice in Galt, where he has a large and growing practice. Dr. Wardlaw is a member of the A.F. and A.M., I.O.O. F., A.O.F. and I.O.F. Societies, is medical examiner for several orders and insurance companies, and is medical health officer for the flourishing town, well named the "Manchester of Canada," in which he resides. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, in politics, a Conservative. He was married, Aug. 5th, 1891, to Dorita, youngest daughter of Dr. J. B. Lundy, of Preston, Ont.



CHARLES STEWART BURROUGHS, advocate, Montreal, Que., is the son of Asa D. and Mary A. (Williams) Burroughs, who came from the United States when children, and settled in Canada. He was born June 14th, 1819, at Montreal. Mr. Burroughs received his education at the College of St. Hyacinthe, Province of Quebec, and studied law at Quebec and Montreal. He was commissioned as an advocate May 9th, 1843, by His Excellency the Right Honorable Sir Charles Theophilus Metcalfe, then governor in chief over the Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and the Island of Prince Edward. He practiced law at Montreal for ten years, and had an extensive practice. On the projection of a railroad from Montreal to Ottawa in 1853, he became a stock holder, and the attorney for the contractors; he then removed to St. Andrews, P. Q., where he remained twelve years, subsequently removing to Lachute, where he bought land and continued his professional business. A plan was devised for a new railroad from Montreal to Ottawa, to pass through Lachute. In this he became much interested, and by persistent effort (the establishment of a newspaper and considerable expenditures), succeeded in procuring the passage of the road through his estate, which was thus largely increased in value. He has recently returned to practice in Montreal, where he now resides. Mr. C. S. Burroughs is the oldest practicing lawyer in the Province of Quebec, is wealthy, and still a lover of the "manly sports" of old England, in which as a young man he took a prominent part. His youngest son, W. Herbert Burroughs, is now practicing as a lawyer with him at Montreal, and bids fair to repeat the success of his father, in the professional and commercial world. He has always been a Liberal in politics as well as in religion. He was married August 4th, 1852, at Montreal, to Cynthia P. Gilbert, who was born in September, 1826, and died March 12th, 1867, leaving three children, two sons and one daughter.

OSCAR ERNEST FLEMING, barrister and mayor of Windsor, Ont., was born in Milton, Halton county, Ont., March 17th, 1861. His parents, Samuel and Sophia M. (Harwood) Fleming, located in Windsor, nearly thirty years ago. The former was a cabinetmaker and a typical Scotch pioneer. Mr. Fleming was educated in the public schools of Windsor, and by private tuition. After matriculating in law, in 1880, he studied with McCarthy, Osler & Co., Toronto, and passed as barrister and solicitor in 1885. In the following year, he opened an office in Windsor, and is now senior member of the firm of Fleming, Wigle & Rodd. Mr. Fleming is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and was on the board of management of St. Andrew's Church for two years. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F. and A.O.U.W. orders, and has for many years been trustee of the former, and is grand marshall of the Grand Lodge of Ontario. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal Conservative, and his friends know just where to find him. He has been president of the Conservative Association of Windsor for the past seven years, was on the school board two years, alderman three years, and mayor of the city of Windsor for the past two years. Mr. Fleming is also a director on the board of the "Home for the Friendless" in Windsor, and enjoys in a remarkable degree, the respect and support of the community for the sincere and practical interest he takes in everything that tends to benefit and improve the city. He is a shrewd and successful lawyer, and gives the most careful attention to the interests of his clients. For a man of his years, he has made a strong impression on his city and county. His legal ability is evinced by the large and important clientage he has secured, while the public offices which he holds, speak volumes for his influence in the community. He was married February 12th, 1890, to Miss Caroline Maud, the only daughter of doctor W. H. Drake, of Kingsville, Ontario.

ALF. GIRARD, B.C.L., M.P.P., advocate, Montreal, was born in Marieville, Que., July 6th, 1859. His parents, Pierre Girard and Marie Pelletier, are yet living (1892). The former was a farmer, but is now retired and living in Marieville. Mr. Girard began his education at Marieville College, and afterwards passed a course in Sherbrooke College, finally graduating in law at McGill College in 1882, when he received his B.C.L. He was admitted to the Bar in the same year and immediately began practice at Marieville, where he continued for nine years, and then removed to Montreal, where he remained one year. He subsequently practiced for seven years in Marieville, then two years with Hormisdas Pelletier, after which he removed his office to Montreal and became associated with the late Hon. Geo. Duhamel and J. O. Pelland. The firm name is now Pelland & Girard. Mr. Girard was elected a member of the Assembly of Quebec, in 1890, for Rouville county, and re-elected in 1892. He is a Liberal in politics, and a Roman Catholic in religion. He has been married twice: first, to Miss Eugenie Reeves, of Montreal, 1882, and second to Miss Albini Auclair, in 1891.

ALPHONSE GAUTHIER, drill instructor of the Montreal Police Force, was born June 23rd, 1862, at Ste. Anne des Plaines, P.Q. The name of his father was Ovide Gauthier, who, for ten years, was mayor of Ste. Anne des Plaines. His mother's name was Aglaée Lacasse, of the same place. Mr. Gauthier was educated at the schools of Ste. Anne and St. Henri de Mascouche. Having a taste for military life, he qualified in artillery at Quebec and Kingston. He was appointed on the Canadian artillery team, who competed successfully in Shoeburyness, England, in 1883, in command of lieutenant-colonel Macdonald, of Guelph, and the lamented major Short, as adjudant. He was subsequently appointed drill instructor of the St. Johns, P.Q., Infantry School, in 1884 (the year of its formation). He resigned this position three years later, to accept his present position on the Montreal Police Force. He has met with many successes in his military career. He was also sergeant major of the 65th Mount Royal Rifles, who took an active part in the suppression of the North West Rebellion in 1885. He was married on January 3rd, 1893. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.

JEAN-BAPTISTE ROY, C.M., M.D., physician and surgeon, Montreal, was born May 31st, 1844, in the parish of St. Louis-de-Gonzague, county of Beauharnois, P.Q. He is a son of Basile Roy and Apolline Chasle. His grand father, Basile Roy dit Lapensée, was one of the *patriotes* who, after the Rebellion of 1837-38, were condemned to deportation. Dr. Roy's career is one that shows what strong will and talent can do. While we find many self-made men in commercial pursuits, a real one is seldom met within the ranks of the liberal professions. A natural reason for this stands in the fact that the access to such professions requires an amount of classical knowledge which, as a general thing, cannot be obtained but from a regular and complete course of college studies. The subject of this sketch, received but an elementary education at school, and at sixteen began learning the tailor trade, employing his economies in purchasing books, and his leisure hours in the study of the same. This, however, interfered so little with his business, that from 1870 to 1875, he was to be found at the head of the firm of Roy & Cadotte, leading merchant tailors in Montreal. At this latter date, being admitted, after a brilliant examination, to the study of the medical profession, he gave up business, and devoted himself entirely to medicine. In 1881, he received his diplomas from *L'Ecole de Médecine de Montréal*, Victoria University. He practiced his profession in Minneapolis and Detroit for nine years, and in 1890, returned to Montreal, and started practice as specialist for chronic diseases. He is now at the head of a successful institute, principally devoted to that branch of medical science. In 1865, he married Mlle Célina Plante, of Maskinongé, Q. He has had seven children, of which there are four sons living. M. J. B., 24 years of age, a talented young musician; M. J. A., a rising artist in crayon, oil, etc.; M. I. I. U., aged 21, just completing his studies; M. J., just 18 years of age, now pursuing his studies.

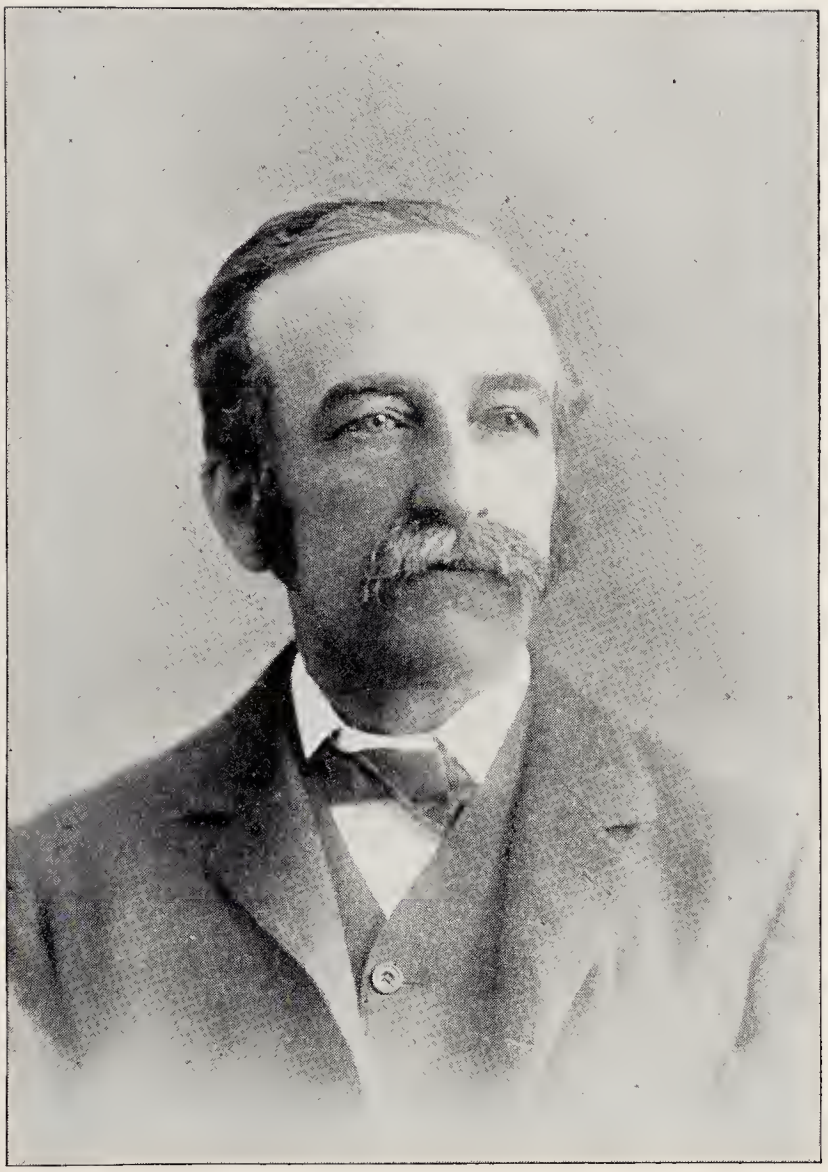
WILLIAM ROBERT PLUM, Hamburg, Ont., was born December 14th, 1848, at Haysville, Ont. His parents were William and Ruth (Sangster) Plum, both of whom were natives of England. His father came to Canada in 1834 and settled in Waterloo county, Ont. He was for a number of years a captain in the Militia. Mr. Plum, after completing his education, worked for his father in the hotel business, until he was twenty-six years of age. He was subsequently bailiff of the Division Court of the township of Wilmot, Waterloo county, for about three years, and was appointed an Official Assignee by the Dominion Government in 1879. He was then senior partner of the firm of Plum & McCallum, dry goods merchants, carrying on a large business, for five years at Hamburg. Then he sold out and bought a farm, and commenced farming operations personally, but finding that he was out of his element in this capacity, he disposed of the farm, at the of two years, and returned to Hamburg, where now carries on a conveyancing, insurance, collecting and real estate business. He enjoys the confidence and esteem of a large circle of patrons and the public in general. He was appointed census commissioner for the South Riding of Waterloo county, in 1891. Though of a retiring disposition, and not seeking office, Mr. Plum has taken a very active part in political matters ever since 1880, and is an ardent admirer of everything good in the conservative party. He has, from time to time, rendered it valuable service on the public platform, when his gentlemanly criticism of an opponent is usually very effective. Mr. Plum is a "Canada First" man, and favors legislation which keeps our own country prominently in view. He is a member of the Episcopal Church, and was for seven years church warden. He was married, March 24th, 1875, to Miss Mary Hannah Smith, daughter of the late James Smith, of Wilmot township. They have four sons and one daughter living, and one son deceased.

ZÉPHIRIN BENOIT, chief Montreal Fire Brigade, Montreal, Que., was born March 5th, 1850, at St. Jean Chrysostôme, Que. His father was F. X. Benoit, of that place. Zéphirin was educated at the public schools, and commenced business life as clerk in a grocery store. He then joined the police force at Montreal, and became a most efficient member of that body. He resigned this position and joined the Fire Brigade of that city, May 5th, 1871. August 15th, 1875, he went to St. Henri, to organize a police and fire department, a position for which he had been unanimously chosen by the authorities of that place. Here he remained until November 16th, 1888, at which time he received the appointment of chief of the Montreal Fire Brigade, which position he still holds. He reorganized the entire department, increasing the staff and putting in new apparatus. He invented and put in a double barrel hose carriage, which is of great service. He is a Roman Catholic in religion, and belongs to the following societies: C.M.B.A., I.O.F., A.O.U.W. and the Catholic Order of Foresters. In 1870, he was married to Miss Rose Delina Dussault.

REV. JAMES P. WILSON, B.A., pastor of the Methodist Church, Madoc, Ont., was born in Lennox county, Ont., December 8th, 1848. He is the son of the Rev. David and Janet (Forshee) Wilson. He was educated at the Napanee Grammar School and Albert College, graduating B.A. with honors in June, 1872. He was ordained in 1877. After this he did successful work at Tamworth, Picton, Kingston and Napanee. He then went to Brandon, Manitoba, in 1887, where his Church and Sabbath School membership more than doubled during his three years ministry. On leaving Brandon, he carried many valuable testimonials from his people. He has held several denominational offices: Journal Secretary of Bay of Quinte Conference of late M. E. Church, member of Alma College Board, secretary of Examining Board and member of Board of Examiners of Albert College. Mr. Wilson is not only an effective preacher and successful church financier, but an earnest evangelist and has been blessed with large additions to his ministry wherever he has labored. He was married, Aug. 4th, 1880, to Mrs. Hannah Eliza Searls, widow of the late A. W. Searls, M.D.

EDWARD ART. ST. GEORGE HUGHES, Chief of Police, Montreal, Que., was born at Three Rivers, Que., July 5th, 1847. His father was Henry B. Hughes, advocate, Clerk of the Peace; his mother, Elizabeth Dumoulin. Chief Hughes, after his course of studies, was admitted a notary in 1873, and called to the Bar of Lower Canada in 1884. For two years he practised in partnership with Hon. Col. Ouimet, and was afterwards appointed Deputy Clerk of the Peace for the district of Montreal, and Clerk of Licenses for the city. Lt.-Col. Hughes always had a *penchant* for military life, and when 17 years of age, obtained a second and first class military certificate at the Military School of Quebec, and served a few months afterwards at the frontier during the Fenian raid, and again in 1870. In 1879, when the 65th Battalion was reorganized, he was appointed senior major, position he held until he was appointed brigade major for No. 6 Military District, in 1883, and brevetted as lieutenant-colonel on the staff. When the North West rebellion broke out, he was granted permission to join his old battalion. He went to the front as major, and had the command of his battalion at the engagement of Frenchman's Bute, May 28th, 1885, and was recommended by Gen. Middleton to be full colonel for his services there. Colonel Hughes was appointed Chief of Police for the city of Montreal, April 7th, 1888. When he took the reins of this most important office in hand, there were 228 men of all ranks on the strength of the police force, and by his exertions he has had it raised to the number of 375 all told. Under his *régime* the pay of the men has been increased 25 per cent., the uniforms remodeled, and a strict discipline enforced. Acting upon his suggestions, 3 new stations have been built, an alarm and patrol system is being established, and a very comprehensive manual, regarding the duties of constables, is under press. Col. Hughes served in the Papal zouaves for 2 years and is Knight of the military order of Gregory the Great.

REV. GEO. BERKLEY DAVIS, B. D., Baptist Minister, Windsor, Ontario, was born in Woodstock, March 20th, 1848. Soon after his birth, his parents located in Northumberland county, Ont., where Mr. Davis spent most of his boyhood. At the age of twelve years, he finished his course at the village school. During the next six years, the maintenance of the family, then very large, devolved upon him, as his younger brothers were not old enough to manage the farm. At the age of eighteen, he went to the Colborne Grammar School for two years, and came out at the head of sixty-two teachers. After teaching two years in Percy Oak Hills, he entered Woodstock College, and completed his course in 1876, having taught in the mean time, that he might owe no man anything. In the Fall of 1876, he entered the Theological class of Woodstock College, and passed his first Summer out as student preacher at Salford, where 32 persons made profession of faith, and the church was changed from the "free will" to the regular Baptist order. The result of his second Summer out was thirty baptisms near Pakenham, a church organized, and $1,300 subscribed towards a new chapel. On the death of Dr. Fyfe, of Woodstock College, Mr. Davis went to the Divinity School of the University of Chicago, where he graduated B.D. in 1879, and he has subsequently received the degree of Ph.B. Immediately after this, he canvassed the churches in Ontario, collecting several thousand dollars, with which to found a College in the New North West. In the Fall of 1880, he returned to Ontario, and married Lydia, eldest daughter of James Harris, Esq., Ingersoll, after which he returned and taught in the afore mentioned Prairie College, and from that centre, assisted in organizing many of the Baptist churches now found in the various parts of Manitoba. In the Spring of 1884, he returned again to Ontario, where he had since had two pastorates, at Poplar Hill and Windsor, building a new church and receiving over 100 persons into church membership in each place.



JRS. ALEXANDER ROUTH, of the well-known firm of Carbray, Routh & Co., steamship agents and commission merchants, Montreal, Que., was born June 8th, 1843, at Ste. Marie, Beauce county, Que. His father was commissary general, Sir Randolph Isham Routh, K. C. B., who was a son of Hon. Richard Routh, Chief Justice of Newfoundland. His mother was Marie Louise Taschereau, sister of Cardinal Taschereau, of Quebec. In August, 1843, he went to England with the family, his father having been recalled there, and he received his education in the schools of London. In May, 1859, he returned to Canada, and in the following year commenced his business career, as clerk in a wholesale establishment in Quebec. In 1870, he formed the present partnership with Felix Carbray. Mr. Routh is one of Montreal's leading financiers, and business men. He has been a member of the Board of Trade and Corn Exchange since 1873, and Consul for Portugal at Montreal, from 1876 to the present time, also a J. P. He is a Roman Catholic and a Conservative. He was married, May 19th, 1874, to Marie Lucie, daughter of Maurice Cuvillier, one of Montreal's oldest citizens.

ELIAS WILLS, Chief of Police, Windsor, Ont., was born near Ballycastle, county Mayo, Ireland, February 17th, 1857, and received his early education in Ireland. When quite young, he studied telegraphy, after which he returned to school and at the age of eighteen years, obtained a teacher's certificate. He soon after this joined the Royal Irish Constabulary, and was on the force when the Phœnix Park tragedy was perpetrated, and took part in tracing the murderers. In January, 1883, he came to Canada and joined the Ottawa police force, and one year later was appointed to a position on the force of Windsor, Ont. He subsequently received the appointment of Police Court clerk, later was made sergeant, and at the end of two years was selected to fill his present position. Chief Wills received his appointment on account of his previous faithful service, strict adherence to duty, and commendable self improvement. He came to Canada without friends or influence, and is now one of the best informed men on criminal law among the chiefs of police in Ontario. He is, in religion, a Presbyterian, and in politics a Conservative. He is also an official member of the Knights of Pythias.

LIEUT.-COL. HON. FÉLIX GABRIEL MARCHAND, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Johns, Que., January 9th, 1832. He is a son of Gabriel Marchand, who came from Quebec in 1802 and settled in St. Johns. Col. Marchand was educated at St. Hyacinthe College and admitted as notary in 1855. He founded, and was for several years editor and proprietor of *Le Franco-Canadien* newspaper. He holds from the Government of France, the decoration of officer of public instruction, is the author of "*Erreur n'est pas compte*," "*Les Faux Brillants*," "*Fatenaille*," and of several other dramatic pieces in verse and prose. Was lieut.-col. commanding 21st Battalion Richelieu Light Infantry, and commanded a brigade at the front during the Fenian excitement in 1870. Sworn of the ex-Council, appointed Provincial Secretary March 8th, 1878, which office he held until appointed Commissioner of Crown Lands, March 19th, 1879. He resigned this position October 30th, 1879, and was elected speaker of the Legislative Assembly, January 29th, 1887. He was first returned to that body at the general election in 1867, re-elected by acclamation in 1871, 1875, 1878 and 1881, by acclamation in 1886, 1890 and 1891, after contest, was re-elected speaker in 1891 by the unanimous vote of the House. Is really the actual leader of the Opposition in the Provincial Parliament. He received the degree of Doctor of Letters from Laval University in 1890. He is also author of "*Le Formulaire du Notariat*," just out, which contains the history of the notarial profession, and of contracts in the different ages from remote antiquity to the present day, a treatise on the responsibilities of notaries, and a complete form book in alphabetical order for all notarial deeds in both languages, with notes and commentaries, indicating very fully the nature of each deed, the different laws relating thereto, and the proceedings required to carry it out. The Hon. Mr. Marchand was married, September 12th, 1854, to Miss Marie Herselie Turgeon.

PROF. W. K. BURR, M.A., Ph. D., Ameliasburg, Ont., was born in Hillier, Prince Edward county, April 18th, 1843. His father William Burr, well known for his enterprise and wealth, was born of the 6th generation from Benjamin Burr, who came over from England in 1630, and became one of the founders of Hartford, Conn. Aaron Burr, prominent in American history, also belongs to the same family, while the mother of our subject was the grand daughter of a U. E. Loyalist, who was shot and wounded in his own house, in N. J., during revolutionary war. Prof. Burr was educated at the Friend's Boarding School, Ont., at Hiram College, Ohio, when Garfield was its president, at Carthage Academy, New York, at Abingdon College, Ill., and at the University in Indianapolis. He also attended lectures at numerous other institutions in New York city, and when he graduated at the Phrenological and Anthropological Institute, was the valedictorian of his class. At the age of eighteen years, he united with the Christian Church and began preaching, and has travelled extensively as an evangelist and lecturer in nearly all the States and Provinces east of the Mississippi, and has also been pastor of several churches, baptizing large numbers in each locality. As a lecturer and delineator of character, he ranks very high, and is considered one of the ablest of living phrenologists, having read as many as 1200 people in a single city. He is also an able graphic and voluminous writer. His published works include "Addresses to the World", "Leaves from my Portfolio", "Character, how it is developed", and "How it is read", "Psychology", "Words of Counsel", "Notes of Warning", "How to grow beautiful", etc., etc. Many of his poems have been widely copied and eagerly read. One entitled "Don't be in a hurry to go", found its way in all the principal papers of Nova Scotia. Prof. Burr was married, in October, 1863, to Mary C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Valleau, of Hillier. He has two sons and three daughters.

JUDE OLIVIER CAMIRAND, M.D., physician and surgeon, Sherbrooke, Que., was born there October 25th, 1847. His parents were Olivier and Thersille (Gauthier) Camirand, both natives of the Province of Quebec, whose grandparents came from France. Dr. Camirand's father, who was one of the first settlers in Sherbrooke, was a shoemaker by trade. He was very successful in business, and was the first French Canadian councillor in that place. Dr. Camirand began his education in the Sherbrooke common school, and subsequently took a course in Three Rivers College. He received his medical training in "L'Ecole de Médecine et de Chirurgie de Montréal," (then a branch of Victoria University of Cobourg, Ont.) graduating at Cobourg in 1871. He has since secured a very large practice in Sherbrooke, his services being in special demand in surgical cases. He spent some time attending clinical lectures and hospitals in France and Great Britain. He has also spent three years in the Sherbrooke council, but his large practice will not permit him to occupy public office at present. In religion he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative.

JOHN MOFFATT, Manager of "Oak Hall," Windsor, Ont., was born in the county of Cavan, Ireland, May 22nd, 1866. His parents where Thomas Moffatt and Isabella (Irwin) Moffatt, the former a farmer and contractor. Mr. Moffatt was educated at the National schools of Cavan county, learned the dry goods business in Castleblayney, and coming to Canada, has been engaged in the clothing business almost ever since, being one year in Toronto, a year and a half in London, a short time in the wholesale warehouse of the W. E. Sanford Manufacturing Co., of Hamilton, his present employers, and about two years and a half in Windsor, after which he received his present appointment, one much more than ordinarily important. Mr. Moffatt is popular with his subordinates, stands very high in the estimation of his fellow citizens, and is a very earnest and active Christian worker, having abundance of tact, push and principle. He was for two terms successively, president of the Epworth League at Windsor, was also the first secretary of the Y.M.C.A. there, and is now vice-president of the same. He takes no part in politics, preferring to devote his time to more important interests.

GEO. WRIGHT, M.D., C.M., L.R.C.P. & S., Edinburgh, and L.F.P. & S., Glasgow, Wheatley, O., was born in Romney, Kent county, Ont., March 9th, 1856. His parents, Thomas and Anne (Cox) Wright, who came to Romney from Lincolnshire, Eng., about forty years ago, and who still reside on the old homestead, three miles east of Wheatley, are held in the highest esteem. His father, a man of excellent judgment, was a member of the municipal council, and has been a class leader and steward in the Methodist Church for years, and held almost every position in that church that is eligible to laymen. His wife is a devoted mother. Her sons and daughters, twelve in number, will always "rise up and call her blessed." The hospitality at the Wright homestead has long since become proverbial. Doctor Wright, after the ordinary course at the public school, continued his education at the Toronto Normal School, the Hamilton and St. Thomas Collegiate Institutes, and the Chatham Business College, with intervals of teaching. His training for his chosen profession was obtained at Trinity Medical College, Toronto, from which he graduated in the Spring of 1890, and also in Britain, where he obtained what is known there as "the triple qualification," as above indicated, in the Autumn of 1890. He then returned to Canada, and located in Wheatley, where he has now a large and growing practice. In religion, Dr. Wright is a Methodist. He is also a member of the I.O.F., and the Canadian Home Circle, being Court Physician to each lodge. He is also a member of Howard Lodge, A.F. & A.M. He is a man of honor and integrity, in love with his profession, and cannot fail to attain the highest success. He was married, May 23rd, 1890, in Birmingham, Eng., to Mary, daughter of Geo. Green, Esq. Now inspector for the Prudential Assurance Co, in Glasgow, who is well known among Christian, philanthropic and political workers in the Old Country. The doctor has one son, born May 29th, 1892.

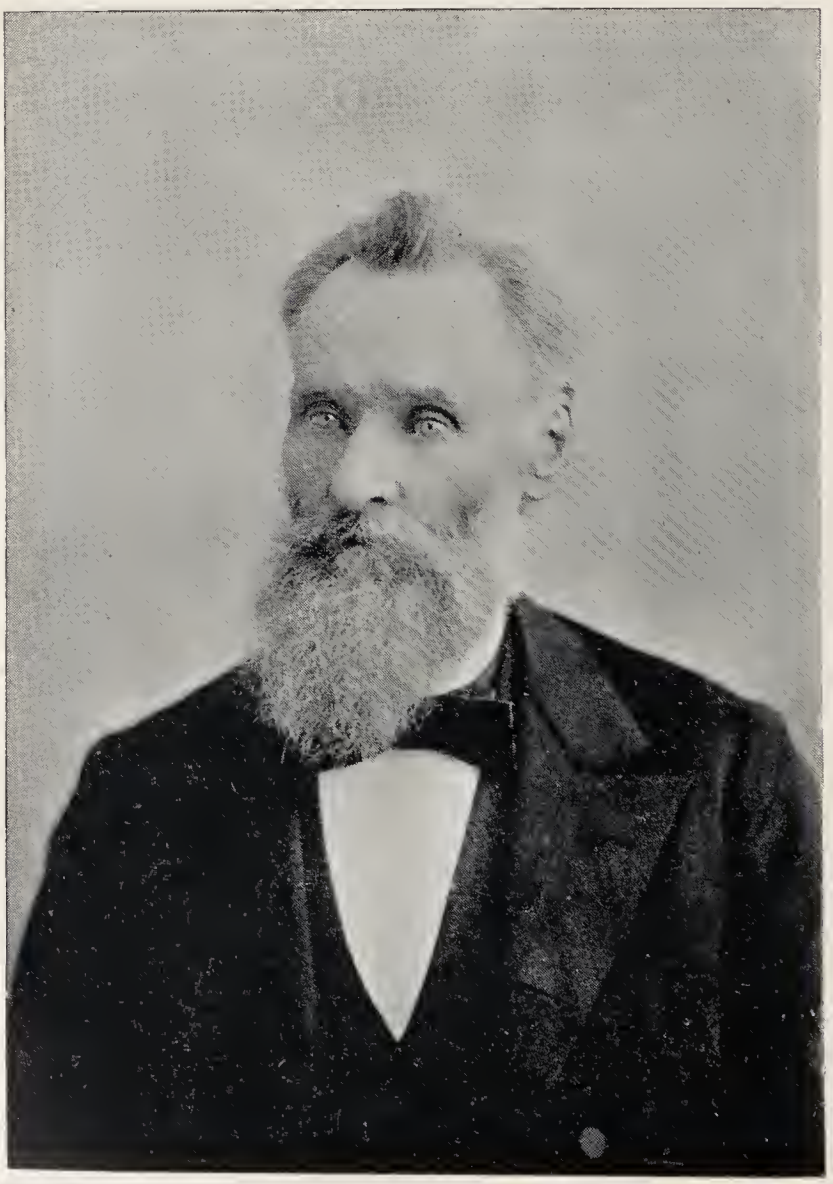
THOMAS FULLER, banker, mayor of Leamington, Ont., was born in Middlesex county, Ont., February 22nd, 1842. His parents were Wm. and Matilda (Black) Fuller. His father, a North of Ireland lad, emigrated to Lower Canada when he was fourteen years of age, and at twenty-six came west and settled in the unbroken forests of Adelaide township. Here he acquired for himself and family, first a living and finally an easy competence. Before the public school was available, Mr. Fuller, personally, taught his own children. For years he was a member of his municipal council. After living a retired life for some years at Watford, he died in 1881, and his wife in 1892. Mayor Fuller, their fourth son, was educated in his father's house and at the public school. He remained on the farm until he was twenty-six, and consequently had but little business training or experience. In 1869 he took a course at the London Business College, and then opened a grain and lumber business at Watford. In 1875 he embarked in the banking business in Blenheim, Ont., with his brother-in-law, under the firm name of Jackson & Fuller. In about two years they opened a branch office in Leamington, Mr. Fuller taking charge. In 1879 the partnership was dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Fuller remaining in Leamington and Mr. Jackson in Blenheim. In 1889 he bought out the latter and since then has continued the two offices. He possesses the confidence of every monetary institution, whether private or chartered, wherever his name is known. In January, 1892 and 1893, he was elected mayor by acclamation, a position for which he was eminently fitted. He is also treasurer of the Ontario Natural Gas & Oil Company, of Leamington. He is in every sense a self-made man and has attained a high degree of success. He was married, September 15th, 1869, to Charlotte, fourth daughter of Colonel John Jackson, of Blenheim. His family consists of six girls and two boys, two of whom are now attending the Collegiate Institute at St. Thomas.

GEORGE FRANCIS ERROL DE GUERRY-LANGUEDOC, civil engineer and architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, November 11th, 1856. His grandfather was seigneur of St. George, county of Napierville. His father was George Theophilus De Guerry-Languedoc, and his mother was a Miss Beaudry, of Montreal. Mr. Languedoc was educated in Montreal, at Plateau School, and after that took a course at the Polytechnic School, from which he graduated in 1878. He was a diligent student, standing well in his classes, and passing good examinations. He was employed by the Federal Government after leaving school, as assistant engineer in charge of works on the Grenville Canal, at Greece's Point. He was there from 1879 to 1887, and then went into business for himself in Montreal as civil engineer and architect, and he has secured a large and growing business. His father, at the present time, (1893), is in the Sheriff's Office as head clerk. He is a Roman Catholic. He is a member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, and of the Province of Quebec Association of Architects, and is held in high esteem by these associations.

EDWARD MAXWELL, architect, Montreal, Que., is a young man who has been known to Montreal, in a professional way, for only two years, but in that time he has made a reputation for talent and industry, which will prove of inestimable value in his future career. He was born in Montreal, January 1st, 1868. His father is Edward John Maxwell, and his mother Johan Macbean. He obtained his education at the High School, Montreal, and by private study. Mr. Maxwell spent four years in studying architecture in his native city, principally in the office of A. F. Dunlop, after which he spent four years in Boston, Mass., with Shepley, Rutan and Coolidge, who are very eminent in their profession, and are the architects of the new Board of Trade building, in Montreal. For the design and planning of this building, they have depended upon Mr. Maxwell, who has also superintended the erection of it. While in Boston, he was engaged upon the design of many important buildings erected in different parts of the United States, and gained a wide spread and well grounded experience, which cannot fail to be of great service to him in his future professional life.

CHARLES CLARK, editor and publisher of *The Comber Herald*, Comber, Ont., was born July 25th, 1862, at London, Eng. He and three brothers were left orphans while of tender years. He was educated at the West London District School, London, Eng., coming to this country in June, 1874, under the supervision of Miss Rye. For five years after coming to Canada, he lived with Jonathan Kitson, Esq., then a merchant of Chatham. Mr. Kitson then retired from business and removed to his farm in Howard township, Kent county, and young Clark went with him and remained four years. In 1883, he commenced learning printing at Ridgetown, remaining there three years. He was then employed on the *Essex Liberal* for two years, resigning this position, when his employer, J. E. Johnson, Esq., sold the paper. Mr. Johnson shortly afterwards purchased the *Leamington Post*, and Mr. Clark again became one of his employees. In February, 1890, *The Independent*, Comber's newspaper became defunct, and he was urged by his employer, Mr. Johnson, to start a paper at this point. Without means, he was backward in consenting to this, however the necessary plant was procured, and arrangements made and Mr. Clark successfully launched the *Comber Herald*. Although this paper has been in existence only three years, it has been very successful. Commencing at the bottom of the ladder, Mr. Clark feels under many obligations to his old employer, Mr. Johnson, for the unbounded confidence placed in him. The entire business is now on a good financial basis, and is another demonstration, of what a poor boy can accomplish in this country, by honesty and industry. Mr. Clark is a member of the Masonic Fraternity, also of the I.O. O.F. He is the C. P. R. ticket agent at Comber, and in this capacity he is very satisfactory to the public and to the Company. He was married, in September, 1885, to Miss Parmilla J. Parke, youngest daughter of R. J. Parke, Esq., of Chatham. His family consists of three children, boys.

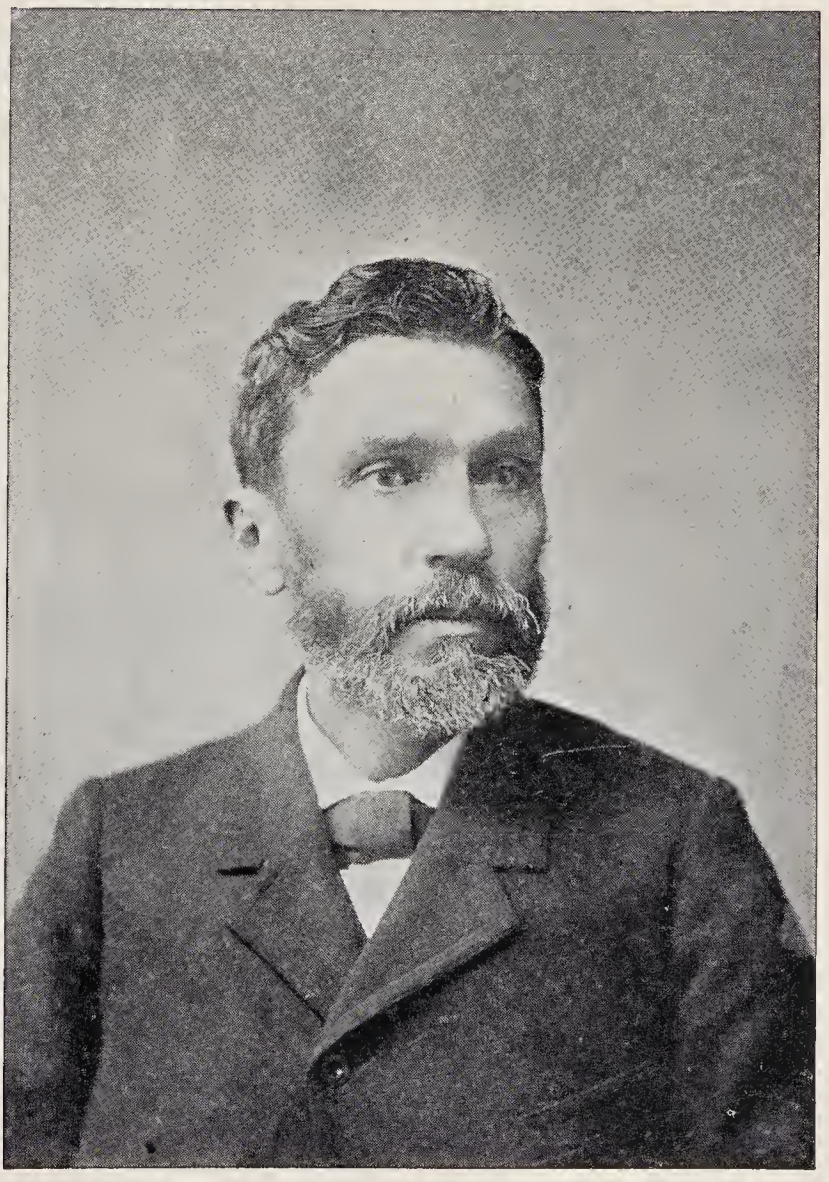
JOSEPH FEATHERSTONE, J. P., farmer, Courtright, Ont., was born October 27th, 1821, in Yorkshire, England. His parents were Wm. Featherstone and Margaret Graystock. The name Featherstone, originally Fetterstone, descended from an Anglo-Saxon nobleman, on whose estate was a large stone or rock, to which prisoners were temporarily fettered. Mr. Featherstone came to Canada with his parents in 1830, and after sojourns of various lengths in Lower Canada, Pennsylvania, U.S., Ohio, U. S., and York township, near Toronto, he settled in Moore township. In 1849, he removed to Bear Creek (Sydenham River), where he remained, excepting an interval of two years, till 1867, when he finally settled in Moore township, and has since remained there engaged in farming, loaning money, manufacturing salt, etc., or living retired. In 1849, he married Miss Fisher, of Moore township, who died some years ago without issue. In 1883, Mr. Featherstone was married to Mrs. Kate Carter, of London, Ontario, formerly Miss Kate Prittie, daughter of Oliver Prittie, of Muckland, Tipperary county, Ireland. Among the Prittie ancestry, were three brothers, relatives of Oliver Cromwell, who went over from England to Ireland with him, and received grants of land from him. In religion, Mr. Featherstone is an Episcopalian, a church warden, and delegate to the Synod for a great many years, and is one of the principal men in his church. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal, a warm friend of the late lamented ex-premier Hon. Alex. Mackenzie. In municipal matters, he has had a goodly measure of honors, and was a member of both his township and county council boards for years. He was appointed a Justice of the Peace in 1880, and is remarkably clear and sound in his judicial decisions. Mr. and Mrs. Featherstone's family consists of one son and three daughters, viz.: Carrie, now Mrs. Dr. MacIntyre, of Marysville, N. Dakota; Minnie, Thos. H. and Marg. Graystock. An elder son, Oliver, died 1881.



JOSEPH H. BERNARD, architect, Montreal, Que., was born at Varennes, county of Verchères, Que., in 1862. His parents were Charles Bernard and Louise Brodeur. His primary education was received at Varennes College, and continued and completed at St. Laurent College, near Montreal. He was an apt and a diligent student. At the age of seventeen years, he entered the firm of Messrs. J. W. and E. C. Hopkins, to study architecture, where he remained four years. Two years after this, he began to practice architecture on his own account in Montreal, being the only young man of his years, practicing there as an architect at the time. Notwithstanding his youth, he has succeeded admirably, and from the beginning has made rapid progress in his profession. He has a select and growing practice, and he is destined to make his mark. This should be an inspiration to other young professional men. In religion, Mr. Bernard is a Roman Catholic. Mr. Bernard was married in 1890, to Miss Amanda Mary Daggett, daughter of the late William C. Daggett, and grand daughter of the Hon. J. D. Daggett, of St. Louis, Missouri.

JOSEPH VENNE, architect, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, June 14th, 1859. He was educated in the Christian Brothers' School, in Montreal, and was a diligent student, passing creditable examinations. After leaving there, he entered the office of Perrault & Mesnard, architects, and has been head clerk in that establishment for many years. Altogether, he has been in the office of the firm of which he is now a member, for twenty years, as he entered their employ when but fourteen years of age. The best recommendation his talents as an architect can receive, is the fact that he has been admitted into partnership with such an old and well established firm as that of Perrault & Mesnard. On his admission as partner the firm name was changed to Perrault, Mesnard & Venne, each member of which is well and favorably known. Mr. Venne is also a member of the Provincial Association of Architects. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He belongs to the St. Jean-Baptiste Society and is president of the "Sacred Heart Section" of that society. In politics, he is a Liberal. Mr. Venne was married to Miss P. Boucher, in 1882, daughter of S. Boucher, Esq., of Montreal.

FREDERICK P. BOUTEILLER, ex-warden and Division Court clerk, Belle River, Ont., was born in Haute Saône, France, July 22nd, 1836. His parents, Pierre and Madeleine (Dormoy) Bouteiller, came from France in 1848 and settled on a farm near Detroit, Mich. For two years our subject went to a backwoods school and learned to speak English. At the age of fourteen, he struck out for himself, and for years followed various occupations, such as farming, the machinist trade, the U. S. Survey, school teaching, etc. In 1861, when the American "little unpleasantness" broke out, Mr. Bouteiller enlisted and saw stern service, amidst shot and shell at Fredricksburg, Chancellorville, Gettysburg, Petersburg, the siege of Charleston and the capture of Richmond. He rose successively to the rank of sergeant, lieutenant and captain; and in 1865 and 1866 served in the commissary department in Texas. He subsequently returned to Detroit and afterwards settled in Belle River, where he engaged in the lumber business. In 1860, he was married to Miss Emily Gillet. He has one son, George A., now Inland Revenue Officer at Waterloo, who was born in 1861. In 1871, Mr. Bouteiller was elected reeve of Rochester township, and in 1876 was appointed Inland Revenue Officer at Windsor, but resigned in 1878. He was the first reeve of Belle River, and has held that position eleven times. In 1891, by a unanimous vote, he was elected to the wardenship of Essex county. Mr. Bouteiller is a ready and graceful writer and a forcible speaker. He believes that from its geographical position Canada will eventually have to cast its lot as an Independent Republic, federated with the United States, not so much from admiration of American Institutions, as from the necessities of intercourse and material advantage. He believes that the dream of building up a rival nation, with antagonistic institutions, must eventually prove so expensive and impracticable, that Canada would be forced to abandon the attempt.

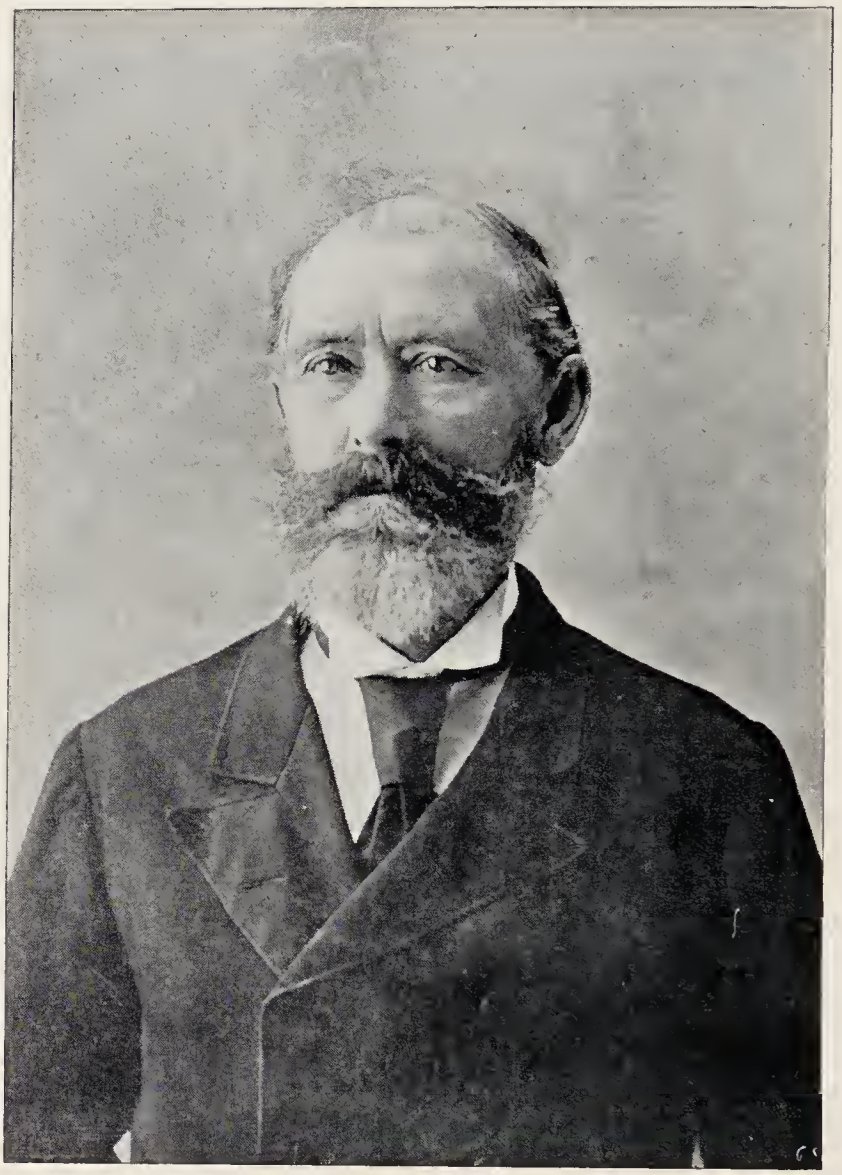


D. A. GORDON, of Steinhoff, Gordon & Co., manufacturers, Wallaceburg, Ontario, was born January 18th, 1858, in Wallaceburg. His father, Aaron Gordon, who is still living, and resides in Wallaceburg, is of Scottish descent, and a man of sterling integrity. His wife, who died some years ago was, before her marriage, Miss Jane E. Steinhoff, sister of Capt. James Steinhoff. She was an exemplary Christian and a woman of beautiful character. Mr. D. A. Gordon received a fair education, and spent two or three years while in his teens in the printing office of the *Wallaceburg Advocate*. Afterwards, he was appointed reporter on the *Sarnia Observer*. His health failing, his physician advised outdoor pursuits, and eleven years ago, he entered upon the manufacture of elm staves in a small way, on his own account. A year or two later, a strong partnership was formed with his uncle, as above indicated, and Mr. Gordon assumed the control and management of the business of the firm. In the conducting of this business, Mr. Gordon has displayed great ability, and the output of the concern has increased in value from $75,000 to $600,000 a year. The increase is truly remarkable, but it is believed that the limit of success has not yet been reached. Mr. Gordon believes in annexation, and has the courage of his convictions, professing his political faith whenever necessary. He is an adherent of the Methodist church, in whose choir in Wallaceburg, he and his talented wife, both sing. For his business, executive and social worth, he commands the highest respect of all his wide circle of acquaintances. On April 22nd, 1884, he married Bay City's favorite vocalist, Miss Rose Fox, daughter of B. Fox, Esq., of that place. Mrs. Gordon's parents are of English extraction. They once lived near Chatham, Ontario, but removed some years ago to Bay City, where Mr. Fox was engaged in mercantile pursuits. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon have had four children, three of whom are living.

ANDRÉ JULIEN HORMISDAS ST. DENIS, notary public, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Clet, county of Soulanges, Que., December 20th, 1863. He received his education at Bourget College in Vaudreuil county. During his college days, he was a brilliant student, and carried off many prizes each year, notably among them, the silver medal given by Pope Leo XIII. in philosophy. He was also a successful competitor in music, for which he had more than ordinary talent, being especially proficient on the piano and church organ, and was organist successively in his Alma Mater, during his three last years, Vaudreuil Church, and St. Peter's Church, Montreal. In October, 1887, he was admitted to the study of the notarial profession, and three years later began to practice. He is now (1892), comfortably established in business, and is known as a successful, reliable and able man in his profession, and speaks very good English. Mr. St. Denis was requested, in March, '92, to run as an anti-Mercierist for the county of Soulanges, but declined. He has attained a very desirable position for a man of his years, and there appears to be a bright career in store for him.

NARCISSE QUINTAL, Montreal, Que., was born in St. Paul l'Ermite, in the county of L'Assomption, October 6th, 1830. His father was a farmer, and his young son had little chance for education, although he pursued his studies, in what time he had, at the common school in his native town. At fourteen years of age, he left school, and in another year came to Montreal. For five or six years, he acted as clerk in various retail grocery establishments of Montreal. In 1851, he went into the retail business on a small plan, making the grocery trade a specialty. In 1870, he took the same business on a jobbing plan, and in 1880, went into business as a wholesale grocer. His firm does a business now of a million dollars a year, having in their employment over forty clerks. He took his son into partnership in 1880, when he was twenty-one years of age, making the present well-known firm of Quintal & Fils. His son takes the greater part of the responsibility from his father's hands, in conducting the business, although Mr. Quintal, sr., is still an active man, and is to be found at his desk every day. He is a Conservative in politics, and is a warden of Notre-Dame church.

MAJOR GEO. STEWART, lumber merchant, Courtright, Ont., was born April 7th, 1825, in West Calder, near Edinburgh, Scotland. His parents were John and Mary (Gowans) Stewart. When three years old, his father died, and in 1834, he came to Canada with his mother. After a short stay at Fisher's Corners, on the St. Clair River, they settled on a farm on the North Branch of the Sydenham River. After three years, they removed to a farm on the St. Clair. In 1842, young Stewart launched out for himself, a poor sailor lad before the mast, but he had a stout heart, an honest purpose and willing hands, and with these and a mother's blessing, he could hardly be called poor. In a few years, he had risen first to be mate and then captain. During one of his trips, the passengers presented him with a very valuable spy glass, of which he has always been proud. After seventeen years continuous service, he quit navigation, and engaged in the cordwood business, supplying craft plying between Chicago and Buffalo. After about twenty years of prosperity at this, during which he acquired 700 acres of land, he bought a planing mill in Courtright, and the lumber trade has engaged his chief attention ever since. In 1866, during the Fenian raid, he organized a troop of cavalry of 70 well mounted men, a troop he has commanded ever since, and patrolled the frontier from Sombra to Sarnia, a distance of twenty miles. At first, he was only lieutenant, but was afterwards promoted to captaincy, and finally to be major. In politics, major Stewart is a staunch Reformer, and in religion a Presbyterian. He also belongs to the A.F. & A.M. and the I.O.O.F. He had been honored with seats at both his township and county Council boards. On January 25th, 1855, Major Stewart married Miss Jane Gibb, daughter of Robt. Gibb, Esq., of Moore. On leaving Scotland, Mr. Gibb was presented with an address and a gold watch by his friends, as a token of their esteem. Major Stewart's family consists of two sons and five daughters.



NATH. OSBORNE WALKER, M.A., M.D., M. R. C. S., England, Port Dover, O., was born in Woodhouse, Norfolk county, February 3rd, 1832. His father, Capt. Solomon Walker, J.P., was of Irish extraction. He began his education at the public schools, and continued it at the Grammar school, Upper Canada College and Toronto University. He matriculated in arts in 1851, and graduated M.A. from Toronto University, in 1854. The doctor was the gold medalist of his class, and carried the Mathematical scholarship throughout his course. He took his M.D. course in the Toronto school of Medicine and Trinity College, graduating from the latter, in 1856. He then went to England, and received a diploma from the Royal College, England, out of Guy's Hospital. On his return to Canada, he began practice in Norfolk county, and with the exception of one year spent at Weston, two years in Toronto, and a few months in the North West, as staff surgeon of the Base Hospital, No. I., has practised his profession in that county ever since. Doctor Walker was classical examiner for the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, from its establishment until 1874; he was candidate for representing the South Riding of Norfolk at the first Dominion Election for House of Commons, and was instrumental in building the Port Dover and Lake Huron Railway, being a member of board of management from its inception to its completion. He is also senior surgeon in a Provincial battalion of militia. He is medical examiner for various assurance companies, and of several societies. In religion, he is an Anglican, and in politics a Conservative. Although past his prime, the doctor appears to retain the vigor of his youth. Judging from the numerous offices which he holds, and the extensive practice conducted by him, he must have a wonderful capacity for work, and excellent business despatch. He was married, in 1857, to Mary Cross, daughter of Rowland Burr, Toronto, Ont.

CHARLES POLYCARPE HÉBERT, Montreal, Que., was born April 20th, 1834, at St. Charles. His father was killed in the rebellion of 1837. His schooling consisted only of that which he received from seven to ten years of age. He came from St. Charles to Montreal at the age of ten, and was employed as clerk for several years. In 1857, he entered the wholesale grocery firm of Victor Hudon, as clerk, and in 1865, Mr. Hudon's son, Mr. Hamelin, a clerk in the firm, and Mr. Hébert, formed a partnership, under the firm name of J. Hudon & Co. In 1883, Mr. Hamelin retired, and the firm was continued under the name of Hudon, Hébert & Co., the members of the firm being Mr. Hudon, Mr. Hébert, and two young partners, Mr. Brault and Mr. Jarret. This firm does a business of over a million and a quarter annually, and is one of the largest wholesale grocery houses in Canada. Mr. Hébert has just retired from the vice-presidency of the Board of Trade, and is now on the Arbitration Committee. He is a member of the St. Jean Baptiste Society, and president of the Dominion Wholesale Grocers' Association. Two of his sons will enter the firm in a short time.

PHILIPPE VALLIÈRE, manufacturer, Québec, Que., was born in that city, September 6th, 1832. He is a son of John O. Vallière, who was engaged in the manufacture of furniture for a great many years. Mr. Vallière received a good sound business education at the Brothers' School, and finished it at Thom's School, Quebec. He was apprenticed to the furniture business at the age of fifteen, and taken into partnership with his father at the age of twenty-one, and on the death of his father became sole proprietor. His establishment is one of the largest furniture manufactories in Canada, and the largest east of Toronto. Mr. Vallière is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Conservative. He was alderman for eleven years, and has been Church warden of the Basilica. He was married in 1855, to Miss Annie Scott, of Quebec, daughter of the late George S. Scott, Esq. He has six children, four boys and two girls. His son, George, is in business on St. Joseph street, Quebec, as wholesale and retail dealer in furniture, and his son, Edward, is engaged with his father at the old stand, and will, at his death come into possession of the extensive business.

WILLIAM TYRRELL, reeve of Weston, Ontario, was born March 5th, 1816, at Grange Castle, Kildare county, Ireland. His parents were Adam, high sheriff of Kildare county, and Ann Jane (Shaw) Tyrrell. His grandfather, lieutenant Tyrrell, successfully defended Clonard, as described by Maxwell Kildare, in his History of the Irish Rebellion, a town on the confines of Kildare and Meath, on the River Boyne, July 11th, 1798. In April, 1836, Wm. Tyrrell was sent out to America on business for a company, and landed at New York. He subsequently proceeded to Toronto, Ont., where he commenced taking building contracts. He built the first bridge over the mouth of the Humber, in 1837. He continued in this business in and about Toronto, until 1842, when he went to Kingston, but after two years, he returned to Toronto. In 1845, he settled in Weston, Ont., and retired from business in 1883. Mr. Tyrrell was reeve of York township for twenty-seven years, and when Weston was incorporated as a village, he accepted the reeveship of that. He has always taken a deep interest in all public affairs, and has sacrificed much valuable time and money for the public good. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, but the Tyrrell family was Roman Catholic, until the arrival of Cromwell, in Ireland. In 1845, he was married to Miss Elizabeth, daughter of the late R. Burr, of Toronto. He has one daughter deceased, and two living; his son, Robert S., is a physician; another, Joseph B., of the Geological Survey, at Ottawa; another, Jas. W., civil engineer, Hamilton, Ont.; and the fourth, Hy. G., civil engineer, New Britain, Conn., U. S. In politics, he is a Conservative. Mr. Tyrrell has been a success in the positions he has held, and Providence has blessed him, not only in his own affairs, but in matters committed to his care of an official nature. He grasps everything he undertakes in all its bearings, and when his plans are formed, they rarely fail of success. He lives in the affection of the people with whom he has lived so long.

SAMUEL PAYNE FORD, M.D. physician and surgeon, Norwood, Ont., was born at Peterboro, April 18th, 1840. He is the son of Joseph and Maria (Payne) Ford, who were both natives of England, and amongst the earliest settlers in Peterboro. After passing through the public and Grammar schools of Peterboro, Dr. Ford taught school for five years. He afterwards graduated from the University of Buffalo, N. Y., March, 1864, and then went to Washington, D.C., and was given an appointment in Mount Pleasant General Hospital, as acting assistant surgeon in the United States army. In the Fall of 1864, he bought the residence and practice of Dr. Thos. W. Poole, of Norwood, Ontario, where he has since carried on a very large and successful practice. In 1869, he took the degree of M.B., and in 1871, that of M.D. from Toronto University. In religion, Dr. Ford is a Methodist, and is a valuable member of that body, having for years been a class leader and a prominent office holder in the church. He has been a member of the Bay of Quinte Conference ever since the union, and has on several occasions been a delegate to the General Conference. The doctor gives a great deal of time to missionary work, and takes a very active interest in the cause of education. He is a member of the Board of Management of Albert College, Belleville, also a member of the Superannuation Board of the Methodist Church, and for twenty-seven years a member of the Norwood Board of Education. He belongs to the A. F. & A. M. and A. O. U.W. societies, and although an active Conservative in politics, has always declined to run for office. The doctor has the reputation of being a poet of no mean ability. His productions are distinguished by their purity, high moral sentiment, strong human sympathy and gracefulness of style. Being yet in his prime, the world may reap from his labors for years. He was married April 18th, 1865, to Miss Araminta, eldest daughter of Robt. Connor, postmaster of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

JAMES EDWARD BURGESS, principal of the Collegiate Institute, Kingston, Ont., was born in that city, January, 1847, and is the son of John and Mary (Pope) Burgess, who are both English by birth. His early education was received in the public and grammar schools of Kingston. He subsequently entered Queen's University on the Watkin's scholarship, and graduated in 1868, taking first prize in mathematics and classics. He then became principal of the Fergus High School, where he remained until 1872, after which he occupied a similar position in Kincardine, for the next four years. He was headmaster of the Sydenham School, from 1876 to 1892, and obtained his present position in September of the latter year. The progress of the Collegiate Institute, in Kingston, requires the erection of a new building, which is now under way, at the cost of about $40,000. Mr. Burgess is a member of the Council of Queen's University, Kingston. He is in religion a member of the Church of England; and in politics, a Conservative. He was married, September 4th, 1872, to Catherine, daughter of Charles Hentig, Esq., of Hull, England. His family consists of two daughters.

REVEREND JAS. MALCOLM McLAREN, B.A., Presbyterian minister, Blenheim, Ontario, was born in the township of Puslinch, Wellington county, Ont., August 12th, 1865. His parents, Peter and Annie (Aird) McLaren, came from Scotland about thirty-five years ago, and settled for a time in Glengarry county, Ont., where Mr. McLaren, senior, taught school for some years. He subsequently removed to Puslinch, where he taught for twenty years. He afterwards taught in Guelph township for a time, and later on, retired to enjoy a well earned competence in his declining years. Mr. McLaren was educated at his father's school, the Guelph High School, Toronto University, and Knox College, Toronto, graduating from the University in 1887, and from Knox College in 1890, taking honors in metaphysics, mental and moral science and civil polity. He was licensed to preach in June, 1890, at Toronto, and soon after, received a call to his present charge, where he has greatly endeared himself to his people. He is a Reformer in politics, and belongs to the order of the Canadian Home Circle. He was married, Oct. 29th, 1890, to Miss Euphemia, daughter of R. Beattie, of Guelph.

HOLLIS SHOREY, senior partner of the firm of H. Shorey & Co., wholesale clothiers, Montreal, Que., was born in Barnston, Stanstead county, Que., December 2nd, 1823. He is descended from a family of U. E. Loyalists, and during the Canadian Rebellion, in 1837, he enrolled himself as a volunteer for the defence of his country. In 1861, he went to Montreal, where, a few years later, he established the wholesale clothing business of which he is still the head, and which has grown to magnificent proportions. The building now occupied by the firm stands on Notre-Dame street, West, and is an imposing structure. It is the largest clothing establishment in the Dominion, giving employment to fifteen hundred hands, and employs some fifteen commercial travellers. The firm has been awarded medals in London, Paris, Sydney, N.S.W., Philadelphia, Jamaica and Trinidad, as well as at different exhibitions held in the Dominion. Notwithstanding his extensive business, Mr. Shorey has served his fellow citizens in many civic offices. He was a member of the Council of the Board of Trade for eighteen years. In 1890 he was elected alderman by acclamation, but resigned after two years, on account of ill health. He is a governor of the General Hospital, Medical Dispensary and Western Hospital, chairman of the Citizens' Improvement Association and vice-president of the Montreal Sanitary Association. In politics, Mr. Shorey is a staunch Conservative. Socially, he is one of the most genial of men, financial success not having destroyed his natural kindness of heart. By his employees, he is very highly respected, and he treats the workingman with the same courtesy that he does the millionaire. On the many and important boards and societies of which he is a member, he enjoys in a marked degree the esteem and confidence of his fellows. Mr. Shorey is also a man of great generosity, and many benevolent institutions enjoy the benefits of his munificence, while his private charities are numerous.

JNO. SPROTT ARCHIBALD, Q.C., D.C.L., professor of Constitutional and Criminal Law, McGill University, Montreal, Que., was born September 8th, 1843, in Musquodoboit, Halifax county, Nova Scotia. His father was Wm. G. Archibald, and his mother, Nancy Archibald, a relative of his father. John S. Archibald is the next to the youngest in a family of five. He was educated in Truro, N.S., at the Presbyterian Seminary. In 1864, he came to Montreal, and took the Arts course in McGill University, from which he graduated in 1867, with the degree of B.A., and winning the Prince of Wales gold medal. He afterwards studied law in the office of the late John A. Perkins, taking also the law course at McGill, graduating B.C.L. in 1870, and receiving the Elizabeth Torrance gold medal. He was admitted to the Bar in January, 1871. He first practiced alone, and later with Mr. McCormick, under the firm name of Archibald & McCormick. In 1887, he dissolved this partnership, and formed one with Hon. W. W. Lynch, Q.C., who was solicitor general of the Province of Quebec for many years, and Geo. G. Foster, under the firm name of Archibald, Lynch & Foster. In 1871, Mr. Archibald was appointed lecturer on criminal law in McGill University, and in 1880, he was made professor of criminal and constitutional law. In 1887, he received the degree of Doctor of Civil Law, and also the distinction of Queen's Counsel, from the Canadian Government. Mr. Archibald is one of the most scholarly men, who grace either the educational or the legal profession of Montreal, and his scholastic attainments are only equalled by his practical ability. In 1884, he was elected alderman of St. Antoine Ward, which office he held for six years, being elected by acclamation in 1887. In 1885, he was appointed revising officer, under the Franchise Act, for the electoral division of Montreal West. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Conservative. In July, 1871, he married Ellen Hutchinson, of Bluevale, Ont. His family consists of five children.

REV. ALEX. RICHARD, Methodist minister, Huntsville, Ontario, was born in Forfarshire, Scotland, and came to this country in 1857. He was converted in his twentieth year, and joined the Bible Christian Church. He taught school for three and a half years, during which time he took work as a local preacher. He attended the Normal School, Toronto, one session and a half, and was received on trial for the ministry in 1867, and sent to P.E. Island. After three years on the Island, he returned to Ontario, and attended Victoria College, Cobourg, for one year, after which he was sent to Chagrin Falls, Ohio, U.S.A. He was ordained in June, 1872, at Cobourg, Ont., and has filled among others, the following charges: Lakefield, St. Thomas, Belleville, Columbus, Manilla, Orono, Dalston, Rosemont, Tottenham and Beeton. He was appointed district chairman at the last conference, June, 1892, and has been a member of the Board of Conference Examiners for a number of years. He is a liberal in politics, a zealous temperance advocate, and a fearless and practical preacher. He was married, January 29th, 1874, to Miss M. Lake, third daughter of the late John Lake, of Sarnia, Ont.

JAS. C. MURDOCH, book and job printer, Walkerville, Ont., was born in Girvan, Scotland, May 7th, 1855. His parents, John L. and Rebecca (Clark) Murdoch, were highly exemplary people, who emigrated to Canada in 1857, and after one year's residence in London, Ont., settled in Sandwich. The former was a printer by trade, and is now deceased; the latter is still living. Mr. Murdoch was educated in the Sandwich public schools, after which he entered his father's office, and learned the business thoroughly. He is now (1892), operating for himself, and by his unquestioned integrity and industry, is quietly building up a desirable business. He furnishes estimates for work at shortest notice, and does plain and fancy printing at reasonable rates. Mr. Murdoch is very considerate of his employees, and is therefore quite popular with them, and also retains the confidence of the public in general. He is a member of the Church of England, and belongs to the Knights of Pythias, in which order he is deputy district grand chancellor of the 5th Erie district. He was married in 1890, to Miss Caroline, daughter of John Kirby, Esq., of Basingstoke, England.

WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON, of the firm of James Hutton & Co., Montreal, Que., was born in Sheffield, Eng., October 8th, 1834. He is the son of William Carr and Mary Anne (Hinchcliffe) Hutton, of that city. His father was the original maker of nickel silver goods, and one of the pioneers of the electro plate trade. Mr. Hutton was educated at the Pension "Sillig," at Vevey, on the Lake of Geneva, Switzerland. As soon as his education was completed, he entered the hardware trade, and has continued in that calling. He came to Canada in 1856, to join his uncle, the late James Hutton, who was then the head of the firm of which the subject of this sketch is now sole proprietor. They represent in this country the celebrated houses of Thomas Firth & Son, limited; Joseph Rodgers & Son, limited; William Hutton & Sons; Steel, Peech & Tozer, limited, and other well-known firms. In religion, Mr. Hutton is an Episcopalian. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., and was worshipful master of St. Paul's Lodge, No. 374, E.R., from 1867 to 1870. He has been deputy district grand master in charge of the Montreal district of English masonry since 1886. He joined the Victoria Rifles of Canada at their formation in 1862, and served as adjutant of the first administrative battalion on the Western frontier, from December, 1864 to May, 1865. In the year 1868, he was made lieutenant-colonel of the Victoria Rifles, and seven years later, after thirteen years of service, he retired, retaining rank. In politics, Mr. Hutton is a Liberal-Conservative. In 1872, he was appointed Justice of the Peace in Montreal. Whether as a business man in charge of very important interests as a prominent member and office bearer of the masonic fraternity, as a soldier, a Justice of the Peace, or as a private citizen, Mr. Hutton is a decided success. He married Cornelia Middagh, daughter of the late Joseph Henshaw, of Brooklyn, New York, 1862, and two daughters have been born to them.

JOS. HERMYLE LECLAIR, land surveyor, St. Jérôme, Que., was born May 8th, 1845, in Ste. Thérèse, county of Terrebonne, P. Q. He went to the common schools, in Ste. Thérèse, until he was ten years of age, and afterwards was educated in the College of Ste. Thérèse, which he left in 1863. He then acted for a year as teacher of mathematics in that college, after which he came to Montreal and undertook the study of land surveying. He studied for three years with Mr. Joseph Rielle, and was admitted into practice on January 9th, 1869. He made the first exploration survey of the railway between Montreal and St. Jérôme, also the first exploration for the railway between Barrie and Orillia. He was appointed as an employee in the Cadastre Office in Montreal, with instructions to survey or have surveyed all the towns and farms, in the Island of Montreal. In 1873, he was sent to take charge of a similar office in St. Jérôme, his work there, to be in connection with the district of Terrebonne. This work he finished in 1880, but he continued at St. Jérôme, practicing his profession of land surveying, and he still resides there, having an office in Montreal, which he opened in the Fall of 1888. He has drawn a map of Deux-Montagnes, and also one of the county of Terrebonne, which has given great satisfaction. For a long time he has been a prominent figure in politics, in St. Jérôme, being mayor of that town for three years, and warden of the county of Terrebonne, for two years. He was the chief organizer of the election for Mr. Chapleau in that county. In politics, he is a conservative. He has been for two terms member of the Board of Land Surveyors for the Province of Quebec. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic and belongs to the Catholic Benevolent Legion. He was married to Miss Emma Desnoyers, niece of Judge Desnoyers, August 6th, 1872. His family consists of five children, two boys and three girls. Mr. Leclair's brother has recently been elected M.P., for the county of Terrebonne.

A. A. STANLEY BURNS, dental surgeon, Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in the village of Pakenham, Ontario, September 26th, 1868. He is a son of Robert and Lucy Burns. The former practised medicine in Pakenham for sixteen years, afterwards moved to Almonte, where he is at present a practising physician. The latter was the daughter of Arthur McArthur, lumberman, of the same place. Mr. Burns began his education at the public school, which he attended until thirteen years of age, after which he attended the High School at Almonte. After completing his course at that institution, he entered the office of G. J. Clint, dentist. He subsequently entered the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, graduating in March, 1890. He then settled in the town of Smith's Falls, where he is at present (1893) engaged in his professional calling, and is rapidly securing a fine dental connection. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, leans toward the Conservative party, but does not take an active part in political matters. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F. and the A.F. & A.M. societies, and is connected with the Board of the Mechanics' Institute.

REV. JAMES SIEVERIGHT, B.A., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Huntsville, Ont., was born in Aberdeen, Scotland, June 9th, 1833. He was educated in the Grammar School, Marischal College, and Free Church Divinity Hall, Aberdeen. He attended Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., from which he graduated in 1857, and was ordained the same year. He then spent three years in Melbourne, Eastern township, three years in Ormstown, Que., twelve years in Goderich, Ont., and after the union in 1875, was colleague to the Rev. Dr. Ure, of Goderich. Mr. Sieveright was the first Home missionary in the Saskatchewan Territory, and was practically the founder of Prince Albert. He declined several larger salaries, to take the mission fields in Huntsville, in 1884, where he has been very successful. He has been instrumental in erecting fourteen churches and four manses. He is a member of the A.F. and A.M., I.O.O.F., C.O.F. and S. of T. Societies. In politics, he is an Independent with Reform leanings. He was married, Aug. 16th, 1859, to Frances Anne, daughter of Archibald Petrie, captain of the R. N., who was at one time M.P. for Russell county.

JAMES WRIGHT, architect, Montreal, Que., was born in Glasgow, Scotland, January, 1833. He removed with his family to Hawick, Roxburghshire, in 1837, and was left an orphan in 1841. At fifteen years of age he was apprenticed to the carpenter trade. He went to Newcastle on Tyne, in 1853, and emigrated to Cobourg, Ont., two years later, when he married Miss M. Hutchison. In 1861, he removed to Montreal, and one year later commenced business on his own account as builder. For some years he did an extensive business. He executed the wood work on St. Pauls, St. Georges and St. Andrews churches, and a great many buildings, both in and out of the city, attest his skill as a builder. In 1875, he gave up the building department, and confined himself to the finer branches of the trade, and manufactured church furniture, bank fittings, art furniture and parquet plans and other fine furnishings. An example of the latter was the fine wood-work of the palatial residence of R. B. Angus, Esq. The parquet floors made by him were used in nearly all the cities and towns of the Dominion, as they attained a national reputation, and the demand was accordingly great. Since 1885, he has confined himself to architecture, and has carried on that business, in which he is associated with his son, W. S. Wright, with remarkable success. The many public and private buildings designed and superintended by them, testify to their skill in this department, and their large practice testifies to their popularity. He has been a member of the Board of St. Andrew's Society for a good number of years, and is past president of the Caledonian Society, and as would be naturally expected, he is much interested in whatever pertains to perpetuate the memory of Scotland. He is at present treasurer of the North American United Caledonian Association, and also president of the National Mutual Loan and Building Society. He is a prominent member of the Presbyterian Church, at St. Lambert.

JOHN HILLYARD KNIGHT, M.D., L. R. C. P. S., Wallaceburg, Ont., was born August 2nd, 1857, in Chatham township, near Wallaceburg. His father, Silas Watson Knight, of Scottish descent, was born in 1804, in Rockingham, Vt. In early life, he was a blacksmith, and had the first shop in Port Huron, Mich. He afterwards engaged in farming on the Chenel E. Carte, three miles from Wallaceburg, where he spent the remainder of his life. He was a well educated man, a leading Methodist, a staunch Reformer, and an intimate friend of John Hillyard Cameron. He always took a great interest in school affairs, was noted for his integrity, acquired an easy competence, and died in 1888, deeply regretted. His wife, Abigail (Burnham) Knight, is still living, and resides on the old homestead, is of Pennsylvania Dutch descent. One great object in her life, was that her sons should be well educated, an ambition which has been fully realized. Two children, a son and a daughter, died in early life. Four sons, Milton, Charles, Alonzo and Silas, taught school for a time, and latterly, became successful farmers in Chatham township. Another son, A. G. Knight, B.A., is principal of the Collegiate Institute, Deseronto, and the portrait of the youngest appears on this page. Dr. Knight taught school for some years, and then took his medical course at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston, graduating in 1880. In 1885, he located in Wallaceburg, and has now a wide and successful practice. He is sanitary physician to Wallaceburg, and is a member of the A.F. and A.M., and other societies. On July 28th, 1886, he married Miss Jennie Fraser, daughter of Chas. Fraser, Esq., whose portrait appears elsewhere in this volume. Two children comprise their family. He is president of the Wallaceburg Reform Association, a strong advocate of free trade, and if that is not obtainable, would greatly prefer political union with the United States to the present policy of Canada.

W. R. WHITE, Q.C., Mayor of Pembroke, Ont., and deputy grand master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Canada, was born in Pembroke, September 18th, 1843. Mr. White began his education at the public schools in Pembroke, and continued it at Victoria College, Cobourg. He subsequently studied law, and making rapid progress with his course, was called to the Bar in 1868, and has since practiced successfully in Pembroke. He was made Q.C. in 1889, and is well known for his legal ability, and for the admirable qualities he possesses as a public man. He was eight years in succession deputy reeve of Pembroke, and warden of the county of Renfrew one year, was elected mayor in January, 1891, and re-elected in 1892, by acclamation. Mr. White owns a very valuable fishing property on the Ottawa River. In religion, he is an adherent of the Episcopal Church, and in politics, a staunch Conservative. He is a 32nd degree Scottish Right Mason and Knight Templar, is past G.S.W., past D.D.G.M. and was elected to the office of deputy grand master, July, 1892. He was married, Oct. 12th, 1870, in Brantford, to Miss Jane, daughter of the late Col. M. Wilson, of Onondaga.

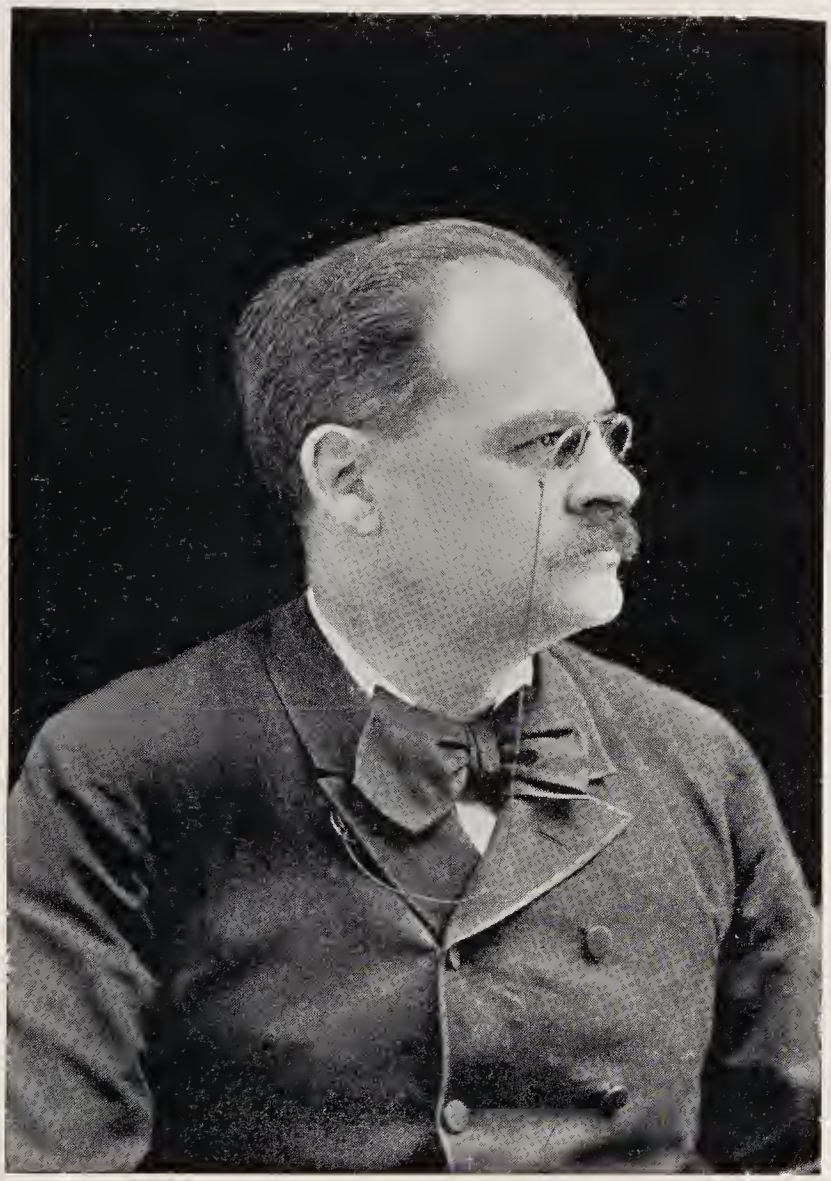
WILLIAM DORAN, Stipendiary Magistrate, Local Master of Titles, Registrar and Judge of the District of Nipissing, North Bay, Ont., was born in Perth, Ont., March 30th, 1831. His father was John Doran, for many years a merchant, in the town of Perth, and his mother was Mary McGarry, of Irish descent. Judge Doran was educated in the public and Grammar schools of Perth, and was engaged in the mercantile business until 1881, when he went to Toronto and accepted the position of chief clerk in the Bureau of Industries, Agricultural Department, which he retained for four years, when he succeeded his brother John in his present position. Judge Doran holds Court at Mattawa, North Bay, Sturgeon Fall and Sudbury. He is also Coroner of the District of Nipissing, and is abundantly qualified for the discharge of these important offices. He is, in religion, a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a Reformer. He once contested South Lanark, a strong Conservative riding, and was defeated by Abraham Code, by the small majority of 65 votes. Judge Doran was married, Oct. 22nd, 1866, to Miss Isabella, daughter of James H. McRae, of Wolfe Island, Ont.

SAMUEL DICE, mayor of Milton, O., was born January 14th, 1837, in the township of Nelson, Halton county, O. He is a son of the late Geo. Dice, one of the pioneers of Halton. He received his education at the common school. Upon the death of his father, in 1857, he took the management of the farm which he carried on successfully until he retired in 1880, when he removed to Waterdown. In 1881, he assumed the agency of the Royal of England Insurance Company, which business he has successfully conducted since. In 1882, he located in Milton, and is district agent of that company there. He has taken an active part in school and church work, and was for several years a member of the Synod of the dioceses of Toronto and Niagara. He is a pronounced temperance man, and a member of the A.O.U.W., and for twelve years, financier of his lodge. He was an enumerator for the first Dominion Census, a License Commissioner for Halton for three years, returning officer for Halton in 1892, and chairman of the Board of Public Health for Milton for seven years. Mr. Dice is a Conservative in politics, was secretary of the Liberal Conservative Association of Halton for several years, and has been executor for several estates. Although, not previously having a seat in the council, he was first elected mayor of Milton, April 22nd, 1889. His occupancy of the civic chair, was so satisfactory, that he was again elected after a contest in 1890. In 1891, 1892 and 1893, he was elected by acclamation, and being a lover of law and order, and possessed of a penetrating mind, he makes a good chief magistrate. Although, not claiming to be a public speaker, he can, when called upon, express his mind in a very clear manner. He has been married twice; on June 5th, 1862, to Miss Sarah Martin, of Milton, who died December 7th, 1871; and on October 1st, 1872, he married Miss Abigail Dorothy Shuert, of the township of Nelson. By his former marriage, he has two daughters, and by the latter, one daughter.

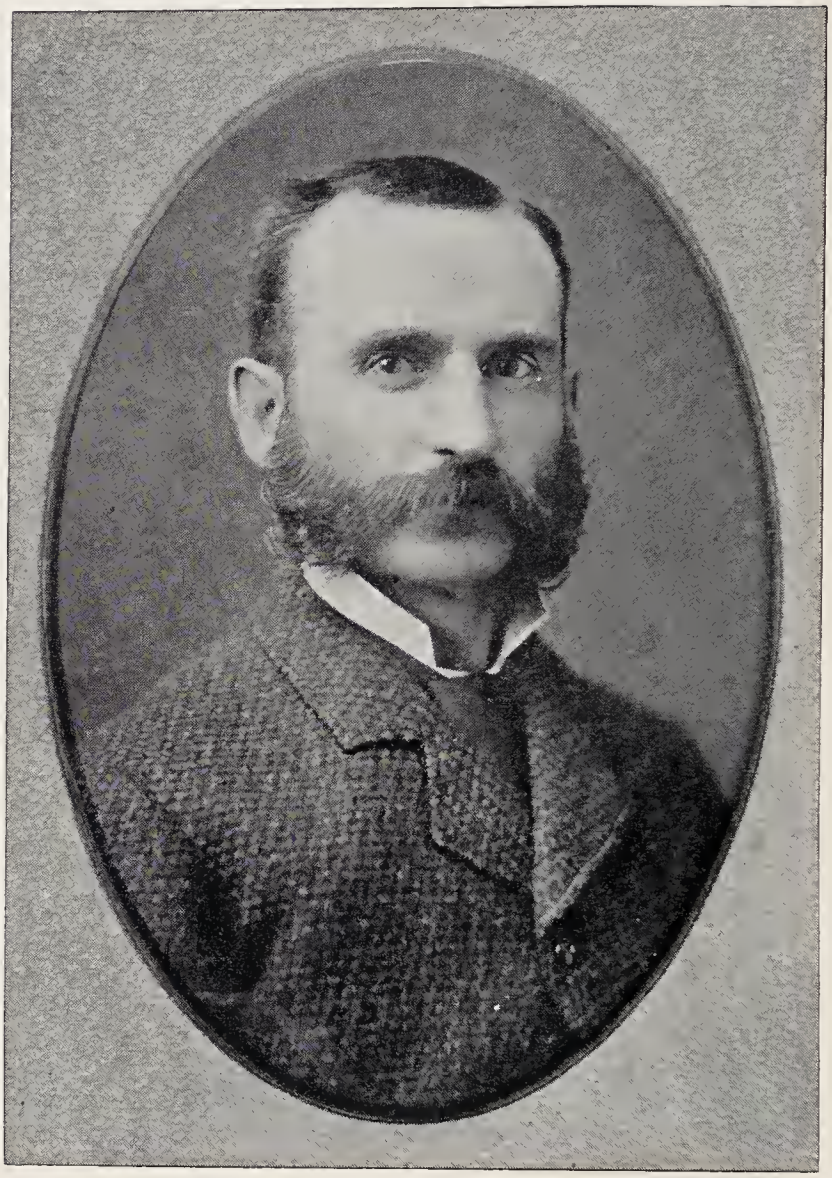
J. W. SHARPE, barrister and banker, Dresden, Ont., was born August 15th, 1847, at "Wellington Square," now Burlington, Ont. His parents were James and Elizabeth (Middleton) Sharpe. The father, a native of Glasgow, came to Canada about the year 1830, and saw active service in the stirring times of 1837-38, participating in the "Caroline" affair. Mr. Sharpe was educated by private tuition, under the late Rev. Dr. Green, of Wellington Square, Ont. He received his legal training, first in a law office in Kincardine, Ont., and afterwards in Toronto, in the office of Mr. (now Chief Justice) Galt, and he was not slow in reaping the advantages of being connected professionally with such a noted lawyer. Mr. Sharpe was called to the Bar in 1870, and soon after began the practice of his profession in Dresden, where he has continued ever since. In 1885, he accepted the managership of the Dresden branch of the Bank of London, and in 1887, bought out the business of this branch, and opened a Banking House of his own. In religion, Mr. Sharpe is an Episcopalian, and has been a church warden for many years. He is also a member of the I.O.F. and is F.P. of the R.A. in the Masonic Order. He has been for years a member of the Dresden Municipal Council, four consecutive years of which he was mayor. He has for some years past been the president of the Conservative Association of the county of Bothwell. He was married, April 30th, 1873, to Miss Frances, daughter of Charles R. Dickson, Esq., of Toronto, Ont. His family consists of two sons and two daughters, namely: Francis William, accountant in his father's bank; Ethel St. John and Clementina Mary, who, at present, are attending the Bishop Strachan School (Wykeham Hall), Toronto, and Ernest Middleton, attending school. Mr. Sharpe's interest in the welfare of his church and the prosperity of his adopted town, his business ability and sterling integrity, have gained for him the confidence and esteem of his fellowmen.

ALBERT D. NELSON, of the firm of H. A. Nelson & Sons, merchants and manufacturers, Montreal, Que., was born December 24th, 1843, in that city. His parents were Horatio A. Nelson, of Keene, New Hampshire, U.S., and Maria D. Davidson, of Irasburgh, Vt. Mr. Nelson received his education in the public and high schools of Montreal, standing high in his classes, and completing his course with distinction. After he completed his education, he commenced in the business in which he has since continued, and in which he has been so successful. His business success demonstrates the wisdom of young men concentrating their efforts on one line of business, and learning to do that well, rather than spreading their energies over many things, and excelling in nothing. He is an honored member of the Presbyterian Church. He is also a member of the Masonic Fraternity, and has held important offices in connection with that institution. He is a Liberal, but does not take an active part in political matters. In 1865, he married Annie S. Warren, of Montreal. One son and one daughter have been born to them. The latter is married, and the son is in business with his father.

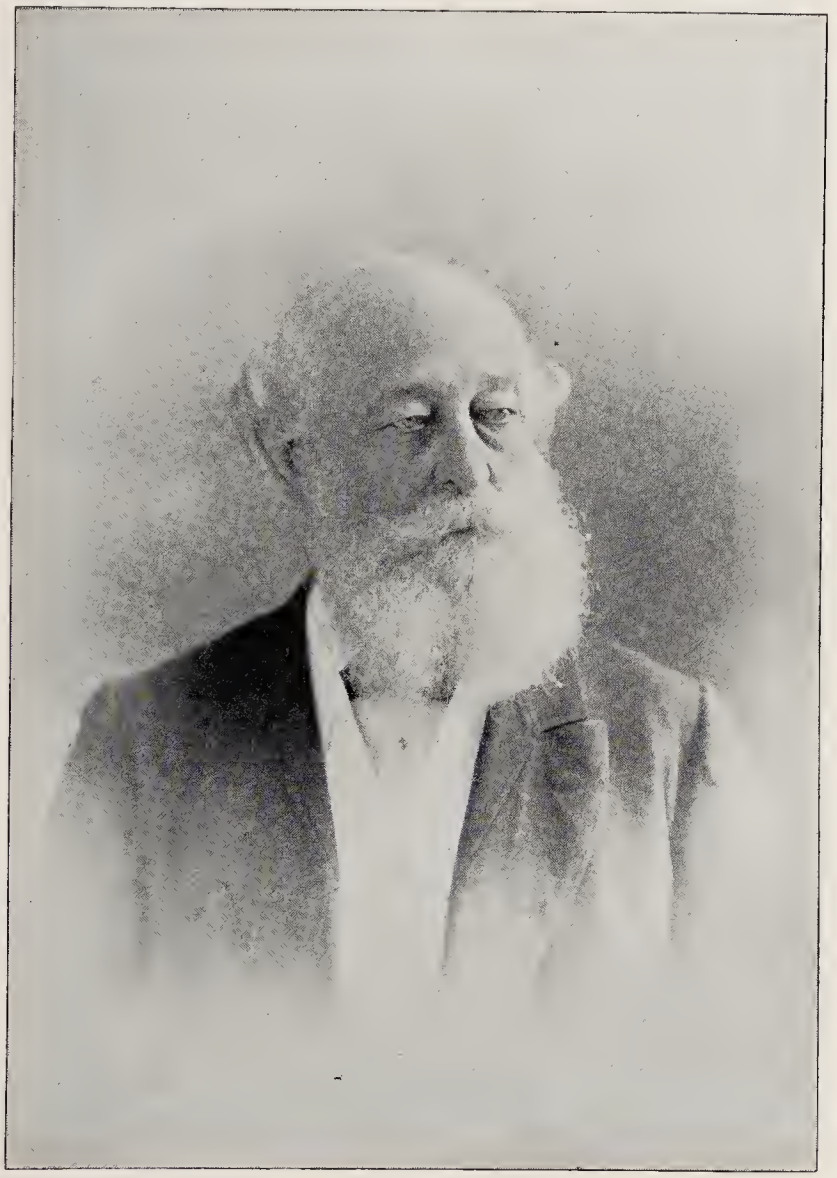
LEWIS WILLIAM SHANNON, B.A., proprietor of the Kingston *News*, Kingston, Ont., was born in that city, February 3rd, 1859. His parents, James and Letitia (Leathem) Shannon, were born in Ulster, Ireland, and came to Canada, landing in Kingston, Oct. 9th, 1857. The former published the *News* from 1871 until 1880, when he was appointed to his present position, postmaster of Kingston. Mr. Shannon was educated at the public schools and Collegiate Institute, Kingston, matriculated into Queen's University in October, 1873, graduated B.A. in 1877, and was gold medalist in chemistry, in 1880. He taught in Hawkesbury High School, in 1878, and in Almonte, in 1879. He purchased the *News* in October, 1880, and has published it as a daily and weekly journal since that time. The *News* is the oldest paper in Ontario, having been established in 1810 by Stephen Miles, a Liberal-Conservative. Mr. Shannon is, in religion, an Episcopalian, in politics a Liberal-Conservative. He is a Past Master of Minden Masonic Lodge No. 253, G.R.C., a member of the A. and A. Scottish Rite of Free Masonry, and major in the 14th Princess of Wales Own Rifles, Kingston.



JUDGE C. A. DUGAS, Montreal, Que., was born February 11th, 1845, at St. Rémi, near Montreal. His parents were Adolphe Dugas, M.D., and Clothilde Oligny. His father figured prominently in the troubles of 1837-38, and was for some time incarcerated in the gaol for high treason. His commitment is dated March 1st, 1837. On the 23rd of the following June, his name is mentioned as having been discharged from prison, in a paper headed "Discharge of various State Prisoners," and with him were discharged some well known parties, such as Joseph Tougas, Léon Breault, and Félix Cardinal. The paper was signed by Geo. Pyke, J.K.B. Judge Dugas was educated at the Montreal College. He entered the law office of the late Chief Justice Dorion, and afterwards that of Hon. J. J. C. Abbott and Carter and of the Messrs. Loranger. He was admitted to the Bar in May, 1868, and became co-partner with D. Girouard, which partnership existed for five years, and also with A. B. Longpré, afterwards prothonotary of the Superior Court in Montreal, for a similar period. He was appointed president of the Court of General Sessions of the Peace, October, 1878, which position he still holds. Amidst the multiplicity of his legal business, he devoted himself a little to politics, and ran for Hochelaga county, in the interests of the Liberal party, but was defeated in the election of 1878. He has also interested himself in military matters and has been connected with the 65th Battalion Mount Royal Rifles since 1879. With this battalion, as major, he went to the North West Rebellion in 1885. In 1886, he was promoted to the rank of colonel, which he held until recently, when he resigned, retaining rank, on account of pressing legal and magisterial duties. Judge Dugas is much interested in developing the mines of this country. He was married to Susan Harkin, sister of the late Reverend Peter Harkin, curé of Sillery, Que. His family consists of three children. He is a keen sportsman and enjoys greatly a hunting expedition.



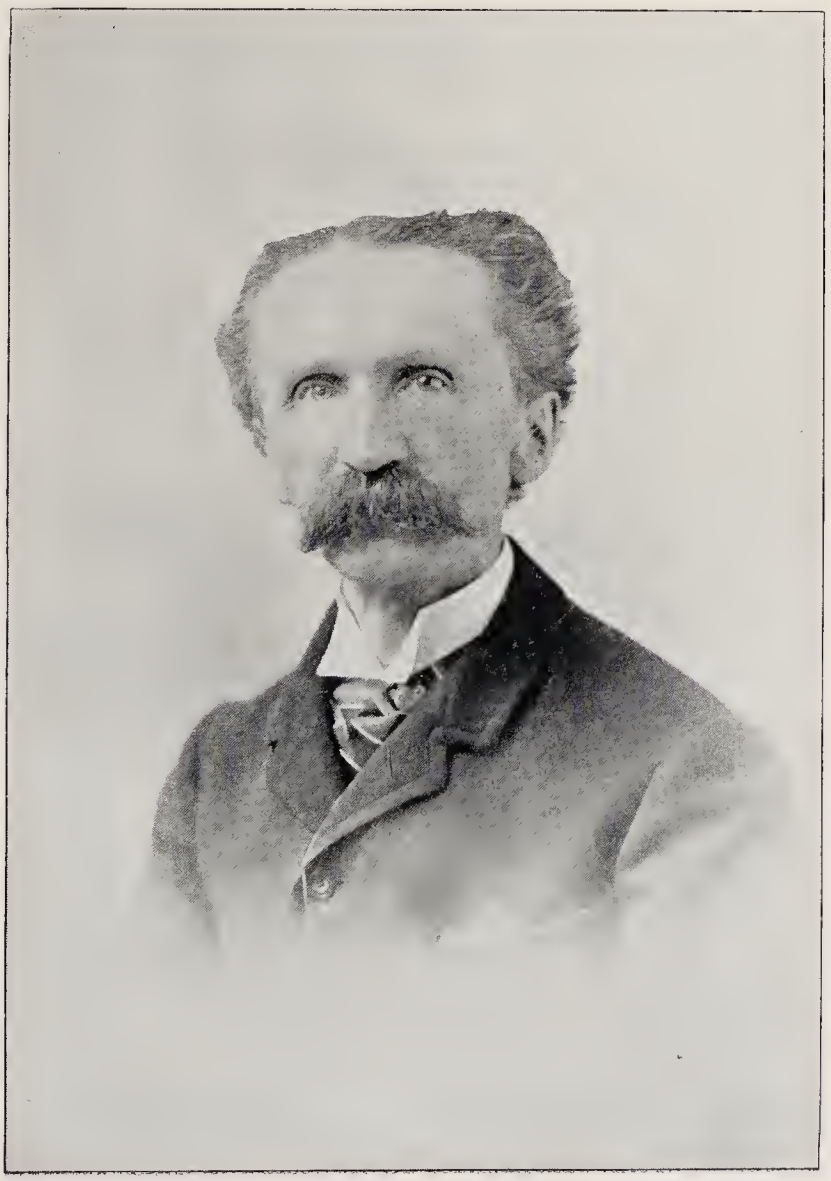
F. J. MAYHEW, merchant and banker, Thamesville, Ontario, was born in Deleware, Middlesex county, Ont., September 2nd, 1841. His parents, William and Ann (Aldis) Mayhew, came from Suffolk, England, early in this century, and settled in Deleware, where they followed farming and the milling business until 1847, when they removed to Thamesville, Mr. Mayhew being appointed postmaster, which position he filled until he finally resigned. His son received a fairly good common school education, and at the age of fifteen years, began life for himself as clerk in a store. He subsequently entered the employ of Mr. Collier, merchant, Thamesville. At the age of twenty-one, he went to London, England, and obtained a situation in a large wholesale establishment, where he remained about two years, after which he returned to Thamesville, and re-entered the employ of Mr. Collier. In 1864, he bought his employer's interest, and established his present business, adding departments to it, from time to time, until it has grown from an output of $5,000 per annum, to one of more than seven times that volume. Mr. Mayhew possesses the elements of a thorough business man, namely, tact, energy and principle, and is calculated to make friends with those with whom he does business. His commercial career has been marked throughout by a ready grasp of all the requirements of his trade; and he is a shrewd and careful buyer, and always consults the best interests of his customers. He was councillor for several years, and subsequently reeve for three successive years. He has often been pressed to stand for parliamentary honors, but has always declined, owing to the pressing calls of his business. He is an Episcopalian, a staunch Conservative, and an efficient officer of the East Kent Conservative Association. He is also a member of the A.F. & A.M. and A.O.U.W. orders, and is financier for the latter society. He was married, October 3rd, 1864, to Agnes, daughter of the late Dr. Walker, of Adelaide, O.



HENRY LYMAN, head of the well known firm of Lyman, Sons & Co., of Montreal, Que., was born in Derby, Vt., October 4th, 1813. His parents were New Englanders of the old stock, and farmers. He came to Montreal at the age of three years. His education was received in Montreal, and in the Academy at Amherst, Mass. In 1829, at the of sixteen, he joined the establishment of Hedge & Lyman in St. Paul street, the firm consisting of W. Hedge and W. Lyman. At the dissolution of that firm in 1836, the partnership of Wm. Lyman & Co., of Montreal, and Lyman Bros. & Co., of Toronto, was formed, in both of which he was partner, and has so continued for a period of 57 years. During this long period, many changes have taken place, and most of Mr. Lyman's old associates have passed away, but he seems to be full of health and vigor, the changing years apparently little dimming the strength of his vitality. Mr. Lyman belongs to the Congregational Church, and as an earnest Christian, has all his life been prominent in good works. He has also held some of the highest offices in a business and municipal way, which fall to the lot of prominent men.

GEORGE McEWEN, reeve of Hay township, Huron county., Ont.. is a manufacturer and grain merchant, at Hensall, Ont. He was born May 11th, 1849, in Kilbride, Scotland. His father, Peter McEwen, and his mother, Isabella Schouler, came from Scotland to Ontario, in 1852, with their five children. Mr. McEwen received only a common school education, and after about ten years of successful farming, he engaged in the manufacture of salt, in Goderich, removing to Hensall in 1884, largely increasing and developing the business. Since 1887, he has also been extensively engaged in the grain business. In 1892, he commenced the manufacture of flax, which business is rapidly extending. Mr. McEwen is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church, is a member of the A.F. and A.M., of the Canadian Order of Foresters, and the Canadian Home Circle, and also belongs to the Commercial Travellers' Association. He was deputy reeve of Hay township, from June, 1888, to June 1890. Resigning in 1892, he ran for reeve, and was elected by a handsome majority, and again re-elected in Jan., 1893. He is a Reformer in politics, and takes an active part in political matters, and in all public affairs.

JAMES CRADOCK SIMPSON, real estate agent, Montreal, Q., was born May 26th, 1838, at Penetanguishene, Ont. His parents, William and Catharine (Cradock) Simpson, were also born in Canada. He studied civil engineering and land surveying with his eldest brother, Alex. W. Simpson, C.E. and P.L.S., and was engaged for some years in railway construction under Norman Booth, C.E., and on Crown Lands Surveys. On his return from Vancouver Island in 1860, on the recommendation of Hon. John Rose, he was employed in the Public Works Department, below Quebec. In 1864, owing to ill health, Mr. Simpson gave up the engineering profession, and came to Montreal. He then entered a mercantile office, and worked his way steadily upward, until the Spring of 1879, when he commenced business on his own account as a real estate agent and fire insurance broker, and for the last ten years, he has been looked upon as the leading real estate man in Montreal. In November, 1887, Mr. Simpson commenced the publication of the *Real Estate Record*, a monthly journal, which is now in its sixth year. In March, 1888, he admitted Mr. H. L. Putnam, as a partner in the general real estate, insurance and mortgage loan business, now carried on under the name of J. Cradock Simpson & Co. Mr. Simpson is a member of the Church of England, is treasurer of the Citizens' League, director of Society for Protection of Women and Children, president of Montreal Real Estate Exchange, in 1890 and 1891, vice-president for Province of Quebec, of the National Real Estate Association of America in 1892-'93, member of the Council of Montreal Board of Trade in 1891-'92, and member of the Council of the Montreal Sanitary Association in 1892 and 1893. He has always been Independent in politics, with a leaning to the Conservative party. He was married, September 18th, 1867, at Lynn, Ontario, to Frances Caroline, eldest daughter of Norman Booth, C.E. and P.L.S. They have two sons living.



WILLIAM WALLACE WHITE, Lieut.-Colonel of the 30th Battalion Wellington Rifles, Arthur, Ont., was born in Suffolk, Eng., October 4th, 1843. His father was Wm. White, an English gentleman farmer, who came to Canada about 1862, and settled in Arthur. His mother Emily (Orford) White, was a member of one of the oldest families in Ipswich, Eng. Lieut.-Col. White was educated at the Norwich Grammer School, Eng., founded by Edward VI., and at which Lord Nelson was educated. In his early manhood, he held a position in a large wholesale silk house, at St. Paul's Churchyard, London, Eng. In 1867, while engaged in the wholesale house of McInnis, Calder & Co., of Hamilton, he joined the 13th battalion. Soon after he returned to Arthur, and opened a real estate office and financial agency, which he still conducts. In 1868, he joined the Fergus Company of the battalion he now commands, and has always kept abreast of the times in drill and whatever pertains to the work. He is entitled to receive the Long Service and Good Conduct Medal, about to be awarded by the Imperial War Department, having been for over twenty years continuously, a commissioned officer in the service. The Colonel is an Episcopalian, a church warden, and has been a lay delegate for many years. He is also county master for West Wellington of the L.O.A., a member of the A.F. and A.M. and A.O.U.W., and has been representative to the Grand Lodge of the latter order. He has been clerk of Arthur since its incorporation in 1872, and its treasurer for fifteen years. He is also a member of the Public School Board, secretary of the High School Board, secretary of the Arthur Union Agricultural Society, and has been for twenty years secretary-treasurer of the North Wellington Conservative Association. He is also one of the auditors of Wellington county. He was married, Oct. 15th, 1873, to Miss Mary Elizabeth, daughter of John McCrea, of Guelph, Ont. His family consists of three sons and two daughters.

W. H. BULLIS, M.D., C.M.L.R. C. P. (Edinburgh), Dresden, Ont., was born on Wolfe Island, Ont., December 26th, 1857. His father was Joseph Bullis, a native of Leicestershire, England, who died in 1892, at Chatham, Ont. His mother, whose maiden name was Abbott, still resides there. Dr. Bullis was educated at the Chatham High School, after which he attended the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston, graduating in April, 1884. He then took a six months' course in Edinburgh, and graduated as above indicated. After eight months spent in the London and Paris hospitals, he returned to Canada, and in 1885, began to practice in Dresden. His practice here grew so rapidly, that in 1889, he was compelled to call in a partner, which he did in the person of Dr. J. I. Wiley, the gold medalist of Trinity Medical College for that year. Their practice is now one of the largest in Western Ontario. Dr. Bullis is an adherent of the Episcopal Church, and belongs to the I. O. O. F. and the C. O. H. C., in which orders he is physician. He is president of the Dresden Blue Rock Gun Club, and although often pressed to stand for municipal honors, had to decline.

DUNCAN McGIBBON, barrister, etc., Milton, Ont., was born October 18th, 1841, in Halton county, Ont. His parents were the late John and Isabella (McCallum) McGibbon, both natives of Perthshire, Scotland. His father died October 4th, 1892, aged 92 years, and his mother died December 1st, 1892, aged 84 years, after a married life of 63 years. Mr. McGibbon's father was one of the most successful farmers in Halton county. Mr. McGibbon was educated in the public schools and the Grammar school, Milton. He subsequently taught school six years, and then commenced the study of law under the present Judge Ferguson, at Toronto, where he remained for three years. He commenced the practice of his profession in Milton, in 1871, where he has continued to do a large and constantly increasing practice ever since. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Conservative. He was for many years, secretary of the Liberal-Conservative Association of the county of Halton. He is also a past master workman. He was married, May 30th, 1871, to Miss Ann, daughter of Jonathan Pettit, of Trafalgar township, Halton county, Ont., by whom he has one daughter and one son.

ADOLPH DAVIS, Mechanical and Scientific Engineer, and superintendent of the Montreal Water Works, Montreal. Que., was born in that city, January 24th, 1839. He was educated in McGill College, Montreal, and at the age of fourteen years, was placed in apprenticeship, as mechanical engineer in the United States Navy Yard, in Brooklyn, and at its expiration, went as first engineer with the Man of War "Tallaponssua." After a seven months' cruise, he became connected with railways as mechanical engineer. He was appointed by the Government of Canada, as Commissioner and Mechanical Expert to the Vienna World's Exposition of Austria, to make a report to the Government, of the various improvements on machinery and railway appliances generally. In 1877, he was appointed superintendent of machinery for the Quebec Government railways, and in 1880, manager of the North Shore Railway. In 1886, he went to Mexico, after completing a short contract for two iron bridges on the Mexican National Railway, at Perros. He then left for a tour round the world, commencing from San Francisco to Japan. In 1887, he was appointed by the Russian Government as mechanical expert and engineer, and settled some very large claims arising out of important engineering enterprises. He was also sent by the Russian Government nearly all over the world, to make reports on various classes of water works and machinery. In 1886, he was appointed honorary vice-president of the New York Cooper's Institute, the Philadelphia Polytechnic, also Smithsonian Institute, Washington, for life. He is also a life member of the American Scientific Engineer's Society, of New York, which is now connected with the "Ecole Centrale," of Paris. These honors were bestowed upon him, for the lecture he gave in the Engineers' Club of Philadelphia, Aug. 15th, 1876, on "Natural Heat," thence declaring that the sun was a cold body. He was appointed superintendent of the Montreal Water Works, Aug. 1st, 1892.

HON. SENATOR SAMUEL MERNER, Hamburg, Ont., was born January 19th, 1823, at Berne, Switzerland. His parents were Jacob and Susanna (Schluter) Merner. Senator Merner received his education in Switzerland and emigrated to this country with his parents in 1837, and settled in Wilmot township, Waterloo county, Ont., where the family settled on a farm in what was then a wilderness. After the first winter, Mr. Merner went to Preston, Ont., and applied himself to the blacksmith trade, and at the end of four years, he started a shop for himself in Hamburg, where his business grew into a large general blacksmith, carriage and wagon trade; subsequently he sold out this business to his brother Frederick, and started a foundry in Hamburg and another in Waterloo. In 1873, he sold the Hamburg foundry to his eldest son Simson, and the Waterloo foundry to his second son Absalom. His third son Amon, is in the Waterloo foundry with his brother, and his youngest son Sulum resides in Clifford. The Senator also has six daughters. He is now retired from business life, but holds a large share in the Simpson & Co. Furniture Factory, in Berlin, Ont. He ran for the Local House in 1877, and was defeated, but in the contest of 1878 for the Dominion Parliament, he was elected for South Waterloo, against the Hon. James Young, of Galt, and was defeated in 1882, by James Livingston, of Baden. In 1887, he was appointed a Senator. The night of September 17th, 1878, when Mr. Merner was elected, will long be remembered in the village of Hamburg. The place was a blaze of excitement and also a blaze of light from one end to the other, from oil barrels and everything that could be burned. Senator Merner was reeve of Hamburg for ten years and warden of Waterloo county, one year. He has also been on the School Board for ten years. He has travelled very extensively in Europe, Great Britain and America, and is well informed on public questions. He is an able exponent of the principles of the Conservative party.

ALEX. CAMPBELL OSBORNE, editor and manager of the *Despatch*, North Bay, Ont., was born in Prince Edward county, on September 10th, 1835. His parents were of Scotch ancestry, his father being descended from the Argyles of Inverary, Scotland. Mr. Osborne began his education in the public schools, continued it at Consecon Grammar School, Toronto Normal School, and Victoria College, Cobourg, From 1857 to 1872, he taught school, after which he became editor and proprietor of the Wingham *Times* for two years. He then again taught, remaining in the Dunnville Central School for three years, and was afterwards headmaster of the Napanee Model School. He subsequently established the Penetanguishene *Herald* in 1880, and in 1892, started the North Bay *Despatch*, which is an Independent journal with Reform leanings. Mr. Osborne is a member of the Canadian Institute, Toronto, and has lectured and written on the Huron Indians and on the Champlain voyages. He is a Methodist in religion, a member of the I.O.O.F., and a past grand master of that order. He was married, February 29th, 1860, to Miss Jane Ann, daughter of Robert Frankland, Malton, Ont.

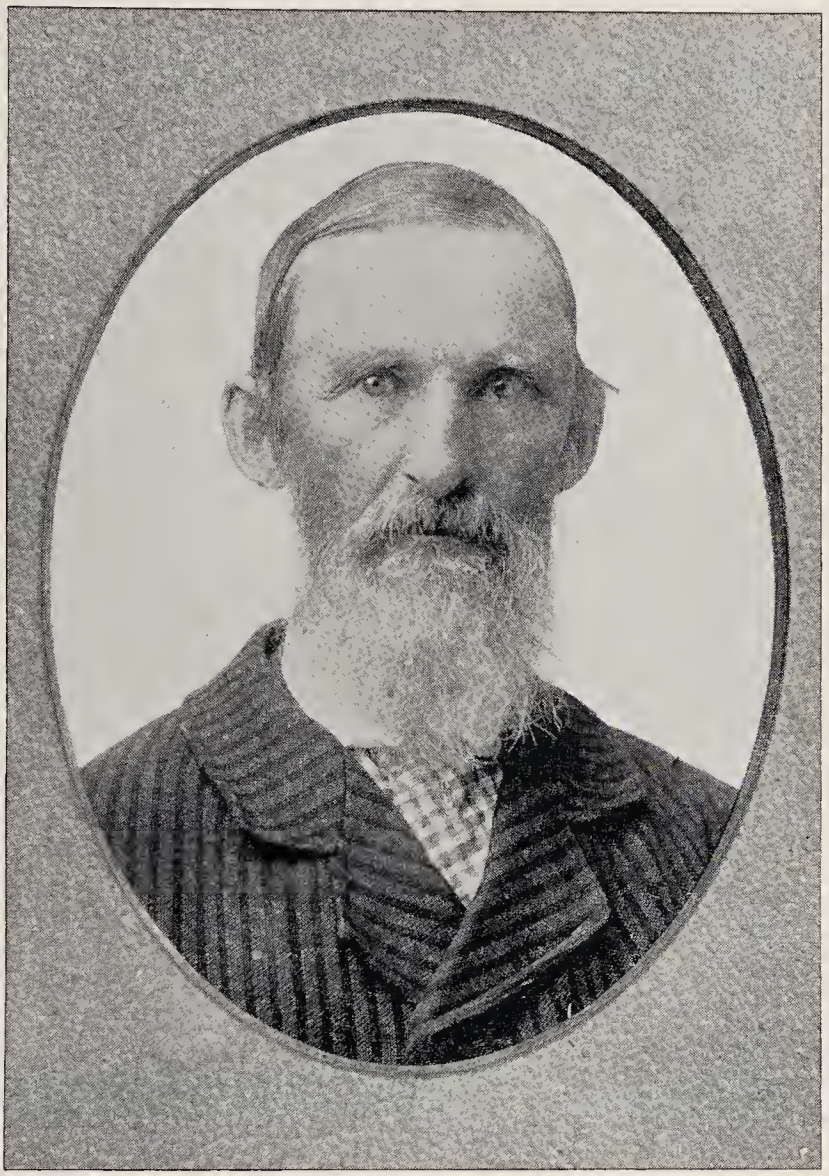
EDWIN KEMP JOHNSTON, editor and proprietor of the Arnprior *Watchman*, Arnprior, Ont., was born February 17th, 1865, at Renfrew, Ont. His parents were Samuel and Harriet (Kemp) Johnston, both natives of Ontario, but of Irish descent. Mr. Johnston received his primary education in the public school, and passed the High School examination. At the age of sixteen, he started for New York city, where he finished his apprenticeship as a printer. At the end of three years, he went to Boston, and subsequently held positions on many of the leading papers in the principal cities of the United States, among which may be mentioned the New York *World*. Mr. Johnston has had a wide experience in journalism, and is eminently fitted for the position he now holds. In the Winter of 1888, he returned to Arnprior, and in 1890, established the Arnprior *Watchman*, which is rapidly becoming popular as an Independent journal. He has one of the best newspaper plants in the Ottawa Valley. He is a member of the Methodist Church. Mr. Johnston was married September 30th, 1890, to Miss Eliza A., daughter of T. W. Kenny, J.P., of Arnprior.

HON. FRANCIS EDWARD GILMAN, B.C.L., LL.D. M.L.C., Montreal, Que., comes from an old English family; his ancestors came from Hingham, Eng., to Hingham, Mass., in 1638; his great grandfather Israel, served in the revolutionary war and died in 1778, whose son, Israel, after the close of the war, came to Canada with other U. E. Loyalists and settled in the Eastern townships. The subject of this sketch, the second son of S. M. Gilman, was born in Danville, Que., April 11th, 1842, was educated at St. Francis College, Richmond, and at McGill University, Montreal; graduated B.A., in 1862, M.A., in 1865, B.C.L., in 1866 and LL.D., in 1877; was called to the Bar in 1865, and commenced the practice of his profession in Montreal. Mr. Gilman was married in May, 1866, to Amelia Maria, second daughter of the late George W. Weaver, a Montreal manufacturer. He has taken an active interest in educational, municipal government and political matters. He represented St. Antoine Ward in the Montreal City Council for a number of years, and was chairman of its Police Committee; while in the Council, in the year 1880, he represented the City at the 250th anniversary of the settlement of Boston, Mass., and in the following year, he filled a similar position at the Sesqui Centennial of the City of Baltimore, Md. He is a life governor of the Montreal General Hospital, Mechanics' Institute, Western Hospital, Protestant Infants' Home and various other institutions. Has always been a Liberal in politics, and was an unsuccessful candidate in the county of Argenteuil, for the Legislative Assembly, in 1882. In 1887, he was appointed to represent Wellington Division in the Legislative Council of the Province, which he still represents. He was the first to introduce a measure in the Legislature to permit parties to a civil suit to testify in their own behalf; was the first to introduce a measure for compulsory voting, and for the abolition of the Legislative Council. His family consists of his wife and two sons.

JAMES RAYSIDE, M.P.L. for Glengarry county, Lancaster, Ont., was born in Montreal, Que., April, 1836. He is the son of John Rayside, a native of the Isle of Bute, Scotland, who followed the occupation of architect and builder. His mother was Janet Grant, a native of Ayrshire, Scotland. The parents of our subject came to Canada before their marriage about the year 1830, and both died about the year 1846. Mr. Rayside was brought up by his grandfather, James Grant, who was for thirty years, postmaster in the village of Martintown, Ont. Though favored with only a limited common school education, Mr. Rayside has been a life-long student and acquired a standing much higher than many university graduates. After leaving the public schools, he learned the trade of carpenter and joiner, and devoted himself to millwright work for a number of years. In 1862, he went to British Columbia gold mines, where he made considerable money. After his return, he farmed a short time and subsequently became interested in the lumber trade, which he has since followed with marked success. He was found to possess those qualifications, which marked him for a public man. His first public offices were councillor and deputy reeve of the township of Charlotteborough, Glengarry county. He was an unsuccessful candidate on the Reform side, for the Ontario Legislature, in 1879, but was elected in 1882, which office he has filled with credit and ability. His remarkably successful and eventful life is a striking illustration of what can be accomplished, by sterling principle, unflagging energy and an honest determination to succeed. Mr. Rayside is past president of the Glengarry county Agricultural Society. He is, in religion, a Presbyterian, and in politics, a Reformer. Mr. James Rayside was married, April 7th, 1864, to Miss Margaret, daughter of the late David McDonald, of North Branch, Glengarry county, Ont. His family consists of two sons and four daughters living.

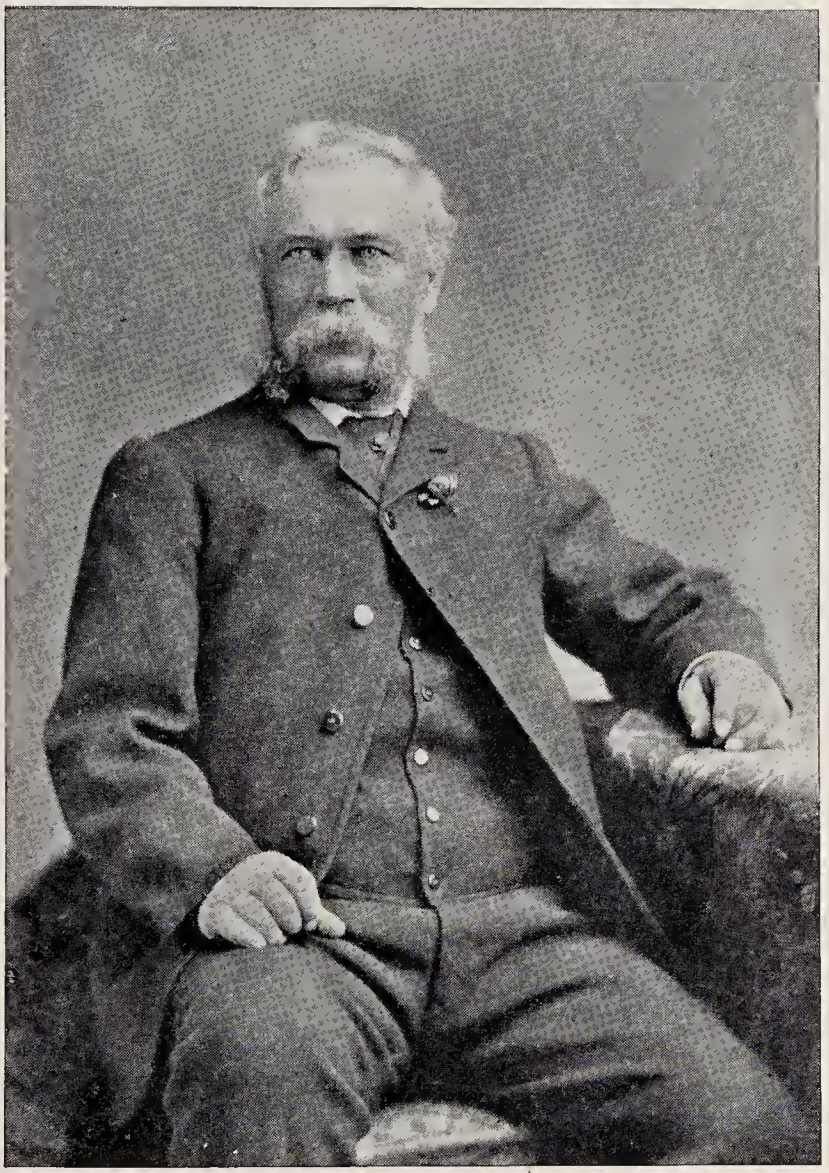
PIERRE LECLAIR, M.P., Montreal, Que., was born in Ste. Thérèse, September 16th, 1860. He was educated at the College of Ste. Thérèse. He studied law in Laval University, graduating with the degree of LL.B., and studying law in the office of De Lorimier & De Lorimier. He was admitted to the practice of law in July, 1883. He is now in partnership with Messrs. Augé & Chaffers, under the firm name of Augé, Leclair & Chaffers. He has taken a very active part in politics for over ten years, as a speaker on the Conservative side at political meetings, and was elected by acclamation, as a member of Parliament for Ottawa, in the county of Terrebonne, on the 10th of January, 1893. He is also vice-president of the Conservative Club "Cartier," and an ardent worker in the interest of the principles he advocates. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic. He is master workman in the A.O.U.W. Lodge, Maisonneuve, No. 20. Mr. Leclair is untiring in his professional energy, and being at the present time but thirty-two years of age, has an unusually brilliant prospect of a successful future, and great things are looked for from him by his colleagues.

CLÉOPHAS ED. LECLERC, notary, commissioner and Justice of the Peace, Montreal, Que., was born in Montreal, September 26th, 1844. He is a son of Edouard, and Félicité (Mailloux) Leclerc, and received his classical education at the College of Ste. Thérèse de Blainville, district of Terrebonne. He began his professional studies with F. Des Bastien, registrar of the county of Vaudreuil, and was admitted as notary, October 15th, 1866. He immediately entered on his profession, and has by his ability, integrity and careful attention to his clients, built up an important and profitable business. During nine years, he has been a member of the Board of Notaries of the Province of Quebec. He is in politics, a Liberal, but does not take an active part in political life, preferring to devote his time to his extensive business. In religion, Mr. Leclerc is a Roman Catholic, and is president of branch No. 83 of the C.M.B.A. He was married, November 16th, 1875, to Caroline Éliza, daughter of Augustin Archambault, Esq., of St. Hyacinthe. His family consisted of seven children; their names are Robertine, Réné, Achille, Alixe, Ovide and Rita. Aloïsia died in infancy.



EDWARD ADAMS, farmer, Dover, Kent county, Ont., was born January 7th, 1822, in Scarboro township, York county, Ont. He is a son of Thomas and Ann (Webster) Adams, who were industrious, hospitable and exemplary people, and were among a number of Canadian pioneers; having come to Canada in 1801. Mr. Thos. Adams was a commissary officer in the militia during the stirring times of 1812-13. He was intimate with Sir Isaac Brock, was present at the affair of Queenston; and taken prisoner at the capture of Little York. He had the honor of helping to build the first steamboat on Lake Ontario. His son, Edward, received a limited education, but has been a diligent student of men and things all his life, and is now regarded as a well informed man. During his early manhood, he followed the carpenter trade, residing for two years in the United States. Nearly thirty years ago he removed from Scarboro to Dover, having purchased a farm there, and by persistent energy, has not only greatly improved his original purchase, but added other farms to it. In politics he is a staunch believer in free trade, and identifies himself with the Liberal party. In religion, he is a life long Methodist, often a delegate to the various courts of that Church, and has also held the office of class leader, local preacher and Sunday school superintendent with much acceptance. His neighbors regard him as a kind and obliging man, and he enjoys the confidence of the entire community. He was the first postmaster of Dover Centre, and has often been pressed to accept municipal honors, but invariably declined, preferring a private life. In 1845, Mr. Adams married Miss Annie, daughter of Charles Hadley, a pioneer of Ontario county. Their family consists of four sons and two daughters, viz.: John Quincey, of Dover; Charles W., of St. Agnace, Mich.; Annie, now Mrs. Charles Terry, of Chatham, Ont.; Edward, a medical doctor, of Arkansas; Thomas H., a lawyer, of Kansas City, and Ellen, now Mrs. Patterson, of Whitechurch, Ont.

ASA CRONK, collector of Customs, Courtright, Ont., was born March 31st, 1833, near Northport, Prince Edward county, Ont. He is a son of the late Asa Barker and Irena (Phelps) Cronk. Asa was trained to farming, to which his ancestry were devoted. They emigrated after the Revolution from New York State to Canada, being U. E. Loyalists. On coming to his majority, his father deeded to him, one hundred acres of land in Lambton county. November 9th, 1854, he went West to work his farm. Losing his health after two years of backwoods life, he returned East, and spent three years in school teaching. Having regained his health, he returned West in November, 1859, and joined his brother Cornelius in lumbering operations. He married, July 3rd, 1860, Emily Ann Simpson, youngest daughter of the late Jeremiah Simpson. Preparatory to marriage, Mr. Cronk purchased lot 23, 1st Con. N. G. Chatham, upon which he lived and labored until 1869, when he removed to Wallaceburg, where, for eight years, he published the *Western Advocate*. He then sold the plant and paper, and returned East, and purchased the *Mill Point Echo*. Being an ardent supporter of Sir John A. Macdonald, he chose the home of his childhood as his field to help Sir John impregn the people with the N.P. The elections having been carried, Mr. Cronk removed the *Echo* to Tamworth, and helped carry the bonuses for the N. T. and Q. Railway. In 1882, he returned to Wallaceburg, and continued the publication of the *Echo* there until June 7th, 1884, when his health failing, he accepted the Port Lambton collectorship, and was promoted to Courtright, April, 1891. His family consists of one son and two daughters. Mr. Cronk has held the deputy county mastership of Kent in the Loyal Orange Society, was first N. G. of Sydenham Valley Lodge I.O.O.F. at Wallaceburg, and its first representative to Grand Lodge. Was the first J.W. of St. Clair Lodge, A. F & A. M., at Port Lambton, and is chaplain of Court Sylva I.O.F., at Courtright.



TOM RODNEY WADSWORTH, flour miller and farmer, Weston, Ont., was born in 1834, in Weston, York county, Ont. His father was the late Charles Wadsworth, who came from England when a young man, and bought out the Farr Flour Mill, at Weston, which he carried on until his death, in 1867. Mr. Wadsworth was educated at the Weston public school, Toronto Academy and Upper Canada College. After finishing his education, he went into the mill, then owned by his father and his uncle W. R. Wadsworth. His uncle died in 1890, and in 1891, he bought out the interests of the heirs and at once changed the machinery of the mill from stones to rollers, with a capacity of 75 barrels a day. He has been married twice; in 1869, to Annie, daughter of John Eagle Weston, by whom he has one son, Charles; and in 1875, to Elizabeth, daughter of the late W. R. Wadsworth. Mr. Wadsworth is an ex-reeve of Weston, a director of the Imperial Bank, and of the London and Canadian Loan and Agency Company and president of the Real Estate and Loan Co., all of Toronto. He is a member of the Toronto Board of Trade, of the York Pioneers, and chairman of the High School Board, Weston.

REV. JNO. QUIRK, parish priest of St. Mary's Church, Hastings, Ontario, was born on the St. George Estate, Killrush county, Kilkenny, Ireland, in 1820. He is the son of the late Nicholas Quirk, surveyor and civil engineer. Father Quirk received his classical education at private schools in the city of Kilkenny, subsequently entered All Hallow's College, Dublin, and was there ordained priest in 1858, and the following year arrived in Kingston, Canada. He received his first appointment as professor in Regiopolis College by bishop Horan, remaining there one year; his next appointments were Perth and Smith's Falls, one year, and Loughborough, three years. In February, 1862, he was appointed to his present charge, where he has labored with much success, having built stone churches in Hastings and Norwood, completed the present one at Campbellford, and enlarged and improved the Warkworth Church. For twenty years he served the missions of Hastings, Norwood, Campbellford, and Warkworth, the extremes of his mission being forty miles apart. Father Quirk built four separate and two common schools, and otherwise improved his mission to the extent of $35,000.

LOUIS BEDARD, notary, Montreal, Que., was born in the parish of St. Ambroise de la Jeune Lorette, in the district of Quebec, January 1st, 1840. His parents were Charles and Louise (Parent) Bédard, both of whom are deceased. Mr. Bédard received his education in the parish schools, and at the College of l'Assomption, and his career as a student gave great promise of future success. He commenced early in life the study of his profession, and was admitted to practice as a notary in September, 1862. He immediately commenced to practice in the city of Montreal, and has continued to do a large and growing business there until now. He is an earnest Liberal in politics, and in 1875, he was the candidate for that party, in the county of Napierville, for the House of Commons. He has occupied many important offices, among which, he has been president of L'Union St. Pierre. He is a public spirited man and at all times has been a defender and advocate of the working man against the rich, and has been prominent in the battle between labor and capital. In a professional way, he has restored to many persons the property which they had lost through tracing up their titles and rights of succession. At the present time, in connection with Michel Vidal, he is the proprietor of the independent newspaper *La Libre Parole*, which is a paper of growing influence among the French speaking people. Mr. Bédard is a man of great energy and with an indomitable will, and whatever he undertakes, either in a professional, political or business way, is carried out, and generally with success. He also possesses the confidence of his numerous clients and all who have dealings with him. One of his sons, L. A. Bédard, is deputy prothonotary for the Superior Court for the district of Montreal; another son, P. J. Bédard, is at the head of an important printing establishment in that city, while his daughter is married to Alex. Archambault, clerk of the Commissioners of License for the district of Montreal.

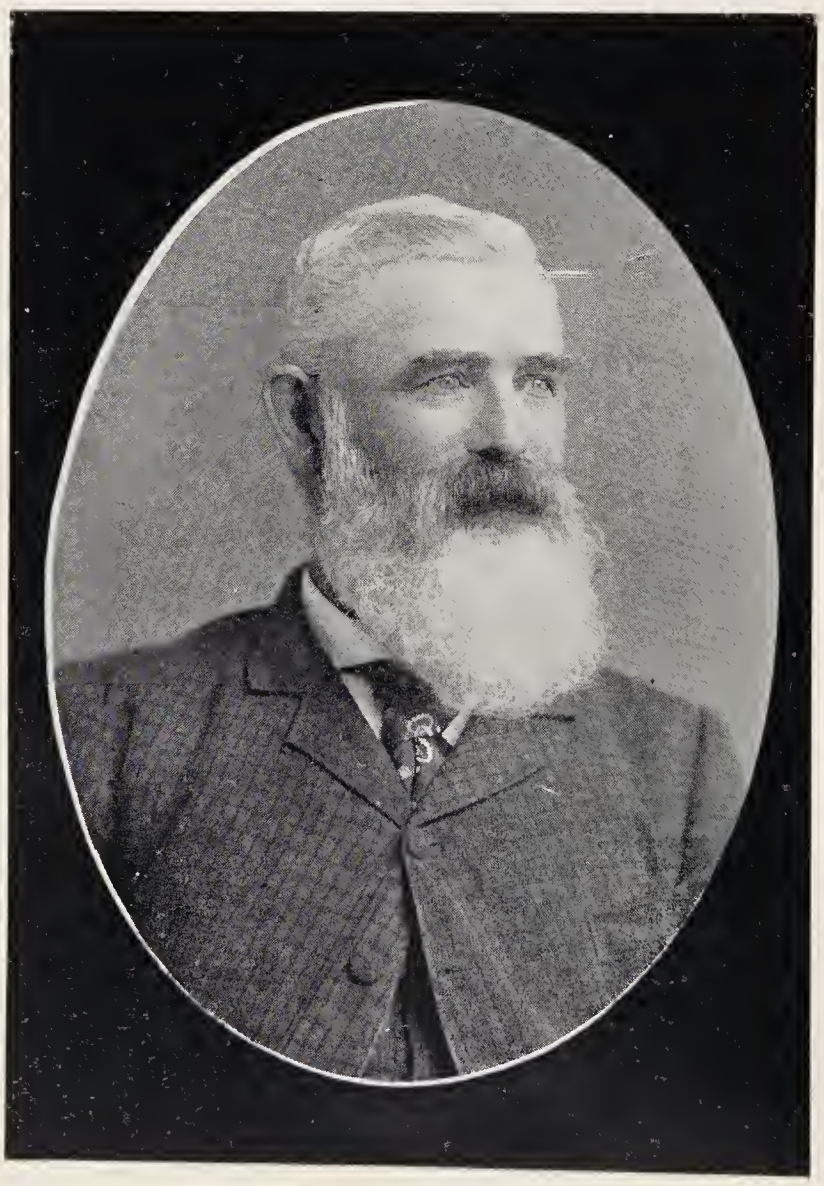
PAUL F. PAYAN, manufacturer, St. Hyacinthe, Que., was born February 14th, 1840, in the city of Mens, Département de l'Isère, France, of a Huguenot family. His education was received in early life, for at the age of twelve years, he was apprenticed to learn the trade of a tailor. His father had served in the army under Napoleon I, and in 1854, at the beginning of the Crimean War, Paul and his brother were sent to America by their father, to save them from the hardships of war. On landing in New York, they had great difficulty in finding the way to their destination, as they were unacquainted with the English language. After several mishaps, they finally got to Roxton, Quebec, where they had some relatives. Paul worked at his trade here, and was also engaged for a short time as tinsmith. Abandoning both these occupations after a while, he commenced in the tannery business. By industry and economy, he saved some money, and started an establishment in this line on his own account at Roxton Pond, and also conducted a similar business at St. Hyacinthe. In 1873, he formed a partnership with his brother-in-law, Silas Duclos, and erected a large building, in which they conduct an extensive tannery. In 1879, they bought out another large tannery, and in 1882, the capacity of the works was doubled, and to-day, they engage between one and two hundred hands. They now conduct two extensive leather manufactories in St. Hyacinthe, and also have the lease of one at Berthierville. Mr. Payan is pre-eminently a self-made man and a public spirited citizen. He was councillor of St. Hyacinthe, from 1880 to 1884, when he resigned, many improvements having been made in the town during his administration. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and has been a delegate to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Canada. He is president of the Chamber of Commerce of St. Hyacinthe. He has been twice married; first, to Louise Tenny, and after her death, to Olympe Duclos.

EDWIN J. LOVELACE, editor and proprietor of the Essex *Free Press*, was born in Gosfield township, Essex county, in 1866. He received such education as the common schools of his day afforded, and at the age of fourteen, went to learn the printing trade. The early part of his career was spent in various printing offices, with the view of obtaining the best practical information in regard to newspaper work. He was subsequently foreman of the Essex *Free Press* for three years, and in the beginning of 1888, made his first venture in journalism, by resuscitating the Comber *Independent*. After two years, he sold that journal, and, in 1890, bought the Petrolea *Topic*, which he continued to publish until August of 1892, when he assumed control of the Essex *Free Press*. He is a member of the Methodist Church, and also of the Masonic, I.O.O.F., and Knights of Pythias societies. He has never aspired to municipal honors, and is a Liberal in politics. He is desirous of Canadian independence, when the country is ripe for a change. He was married, September, 1888, to Miss Venetia, daughter of David Whitney, of Essex, formerly of Prescott, Ont., who is descended from U. E. L. stock.

WILLIAM ALMAN MARICLE, postmaster and merchant, Staples, Ont., was born in Glanford township, Wentworth county, August 4th, 1855. His parents were James and Eliza (Lee) Maricle. His father was a class leader in the Methodist Church, a school trustee, also a member of the township council for years. He died in 1891. His mother is still living and resides with him (1893). Mr. Maricle received his education in the Glanford schools, and farmed with his father until 1882 when he struck out for himself. In 1884, he bought out a general store at Quinn, Ont., where for four years he did a large business. In 1888, he established his present business, which, by his energy, has developed to sales of about $18.000 a year. He is a thorough business man and always consults the interests of his customers. He is a member of the A.F. and A.M., I.O.O.F., I.O.F. and L.O.L. He is a Justice of the Peace, and takes a practical interest in the prosperity of Staples. He was married, December 12th, 1888, to Miss Frances Euretta Hostein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Hostein, of Ancaster, Ont. His family consists of one son.

JAMES COCHRANE, contractor, Montreal, Que., was born in Kincardine, Perthshire, Scotland, in 1850. He came to Canada with his family when very young, and located in Montreal, where he attended the British Canadian School, and late Prof. Charles Nichol's Collegiate College. He was employed for many years in the Montreal Telegraph Company, where he attained the position of night manager. He resigned that position to follow public works, and was employed in the construction of the Intercolonial Railway, and afterwards on the famous Whitehead contract, section 15, of the C.P.R., under M. J. Haney. He was afterwards engaged by John Ross, the manager of construction of Lake Superior Division of the C.P.R., to construct the Telegraph Service between Nipegon and Dog Lake, which he successfully carried out. He returned to Montreal, after an absence of several years, and commenced contracting for corporation city work, and has done most of the heavy rock work in sewers, until 1889, when he commenced paving the streets, with Sicilian Rock Asphalt, and if the city is in a good paved state to-day, a good deal of credit may be given to Mr. Cochrane, for having introduced the Rock Asphalt into Canada. He has also taken a good deal of interest in Labor organizations, in the city. He was one of the directors of the *Canadian Workman*, weekly paper, held the position of vice-president of the Trade and Labor Council, and was elected three consecutive terms as Master Workman of Warren Assembly Knight of Labor, in the city of Montreal. He opposed Sir Donald A. Smith, at the last general etection, and although defeated, he won golden opinions from all classes, for the way he conducted his side of the contest. He is a staunch Liberal in politics, and has done good service for the party in the Province of Quebec. He has been connected with various charitable institutions of Montreal, and is a governor of the Notre Dame and Montreal General Hospitals, and of the Protestant Insane Asylum.

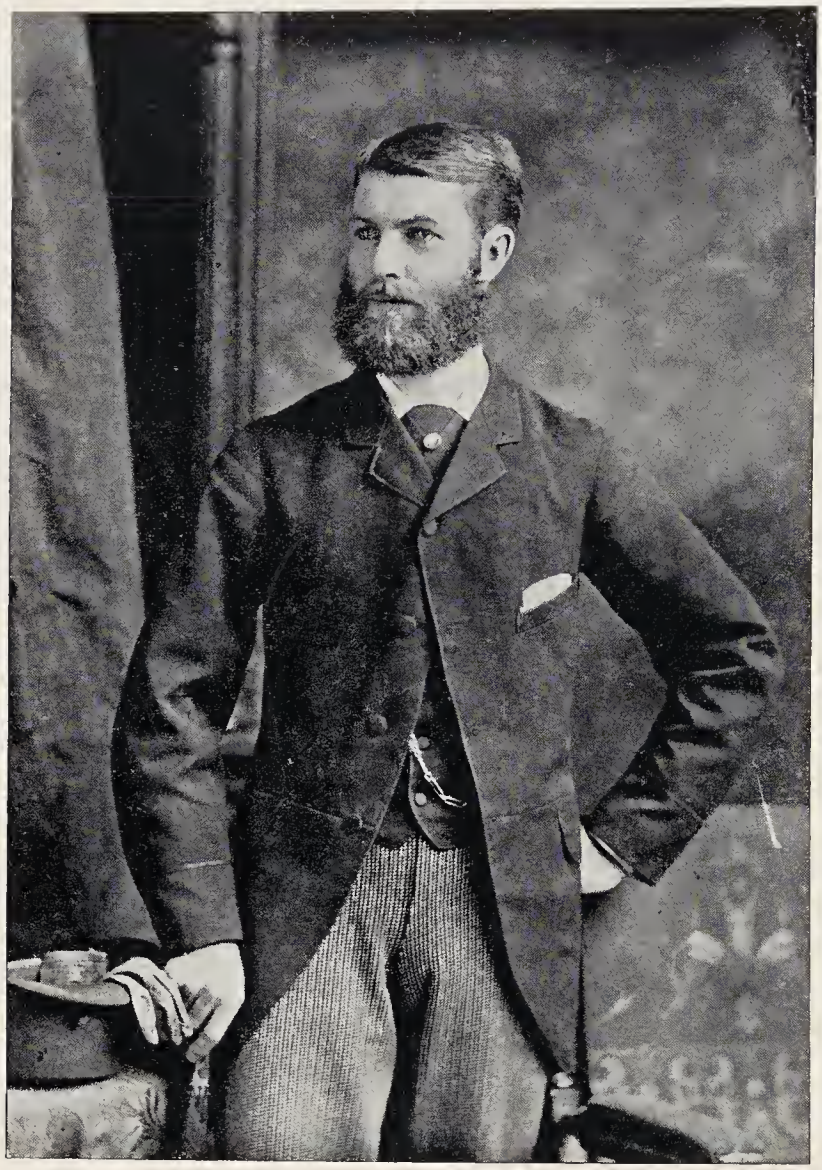
JOHN J. WILLIAMS, manager of the New Rockland Slate Co., New Rockland, Que., was born June 2nd, 1832, at Aberllefeni, near the village of Corris, in North Wales. His parents were John and Ann (Edwards) Williams. His father was superintendent of mines and quarries in Wales. Mr. Williams and his father came to America in 1849. The latter opened a slate quarry in Peach Bottom, Pa., U.S., where he died in 1864. His mother died in Wales. In 1850-51, he turned his attention to the slate beds of Vermont, and was one of the first to open them. In 1863, he sold his quarry and bought other slate lands, and opened other quarries. In 1870, he sold all his slate interests and removed from Fairhaven, where he resided, to Fitchburg, Mass., where he carried on the business of roofing and wholesale slate for three years. In 1873, he moved to Marquette, Mich., and opened slate quarries in that vicinity. Before the end of three years, he removed to Melbourne, Que., and managed the slate quarries there for three years, when again he removed to Fairhaven, Vt., and opened a quarry there, and about the same time, became interested in a quarry in Bangor, Pa. In April, 1882, he accepted his present position, which he has filled with great ability. This is the largest quarry in the Dominion, and the quality of slate is second to none in the world, and hence the outpnt is very large. The quarry is operated by over two hundred men, and equipped with cable derricks, which are worked by water power. Mr. Williams was educated in the parish schools of his native place, but he has been a diligent student of men and things all his life time. He is a member of the A.F. and A.M., also of the I.O.F. He is also mayor and postmaster of New Rockland, in which positions he gives universal satisfaction. In politics, he is a strong and active Conservative. He was married, November 1st, 1855, to Miss Mary, daughter of Hiram Hamilton, of Fairhaven, Vt., by whom he has three sons and three daughters.



RODNEY HARRISON ABBOTT, M.D., M.C.P. & S.O., Comber, Ontario, was born on Wolfe Island, Ont., June 15th, 1856. His parents, Edward and Lydia (Mitchell) Abbott, still reside there. Dr. Abbott was educated at the Kingston Collegiate Institute, and at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston, from which he graduated in 1879, taking his degree from Queen's University. After practising one year at Stoney Point, he removed to Comber. In 1886, he took a six months' course in the London Hospitals, passing his examinations in Dublin. Since his return, his practice has grown very large. In religion, Dr. Abbott is an Episcopalian, and in politics a Reformer. He organized Parvaim Lodge, A.F. & A.M. and was its first worshipful master. He is also a member of the A.O.U.W. and the I.O.F., in which latter order he is Court physician. He is associate Coroner for the county of Essex, and is also License Commissioner in South Essex. Dr. Abbott takes no part whatever in municipal matters. On January 13th, 1881, he married Miss Annie Sutherland, daughter of Alex. Sutherland, Esq., of Kingston. His family consists of two daughters.

JOHN COATSWORTH ILER, Sheriff of Essex county, Windsor, Ont., was born in the township of South Colchester, Essex county, March 22nd, 1828. His parents, Solomon and Hanna (Coatsworth) Iler, were well known in Colchester. The former was a leading Baptist, and a man whose strong convictions and practical life, never failed to make an impression on those around him. Our subject had but few opportunities for education, and is therefore strictly speaking a self made man. Up to manhood, his time was spent on his father's farm. After his marriage he farmed on his own account, until he received his present appointment. For nine years he was clerk of the township and afterwards deputy reeve for one year, and subsequently reeve for eight years, all of which shows the esteem in which he was held in the municipality. In politics, he is a stannch Reformer, and an active and influential member of the party. In religion, he is a Methodist and being an earnest and impressive speaker, his services are in frequent demand in the Western counties of Ontario. In October, 1850, he was married to Miss Buchanan, daughter of John Buchanan, of Colchester township.

OWEN McGARVEY, of Owen McGarvey & Son, wholesale and retail manufacturers of and dealers in every line of plain and fancy furniture, Montreal, Que., was born in Ireland, and at an early age came to Canada and settled in Montreal. From the first day of his commencing business, success has attended his footsteps. Strict commercial integrity, a keen knowledge of trade and an enterprising spirit, have brought uninterrupted prosperity. The house of Owen McGarvey & Son, is one of the largest furniture houses in the Dominion, and in excellence of design and beauty of workmanship, it ranks equal to any in the country. This year will be the fiftieth anniversary of the existence of this firm, and when the founder looks back on the busy years behind him, he may well be proud of the magnificent monument: his new warehouse on Notre Dame-Dame street. Mr. McGarvey has unbounded faith in Canada, and has proved this by sending specimens of his work to many exhibitions of the world, which have resulted in the awarding of gold and silver medals and diplomas, from the Antwerp Exhibition (1866), Colonial and Indian Exhibition, London, and Paris Exhibition (1855), in addition to which the firm has come off with honors in all similar displays in Canada. Mr. McGarvey is a Conservative in politics. He inherits all the well known proverbial straight forward qualities of a North of Ireland business man, studiously avoiding any publicity as a prominent citizen, and declining many honors which he has been requested to accept. For years, he has been a life governor of the Montreal General Hospital, a life governor and vice-president of Notre-Dame Hospital, a director and vice-president of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Montreal, a director of St. Patrick's Orphan Asylum, a member of the Art Association, a member of the Board of Trade, and bond-holder of their new building, and a vice-president of St. Patrick's Temperance Society, being well known as an earnest advocate of the temperance cause for the last 40 years.



ALEX. ROBERTSON, B.A., J.P., secretary-treasurer of the Harbor Commissioners of Montreal, was born in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1851. He is the eldest son of the late Andrew Robertson, of Montreal. His mother's name was Agnes Bow. Both of his parents were Scotch, and they came to Canada in 1853, with Alexander and his younger brother, settling at Montreal. His father was a woolen manufacturer and wholesale dry goods merchant, and occupied many important positions. He died in Montreal, March 29th, 1890, in his 63rd year. Mr. Alexander Robertson received his education at the private and High schools of that city, and at McGill College, graduating B.A. from the latter Institution, in 1870, taking first rank honors in Natural Science, and also winning the Logan gold medal. After graduation, he entered the wholesale dry goods warehouse of Messrs. Robertson, Stephen & Co., and became partner, in 1882, to their successors, Robertsons, Linton & Co. In 1885, Mr. Robertson retired from business, and spent about one and a half years in travelling around the world, viâ New Zealand, Australia, India, Egypt and Palestine. He was appointed to his present important position in 1887, and received the appointment of J.P., in 1892. In religion, Mr. Robertson is a member of the Church of England, and among other important offices held by him in that Church, was that of delegate to the Montreal Diocesan Synod. He is a member of the Montreal Board of Trade, a life governor of the Montreal General Hospital, and a member of St. James Club. He served as captain in the First Prince of Wales Rifle Regiment, of the Canadian Active Militia, from 1873 to 1880, retiring with rank. In politics, Mr. Robertson is a Liberal-Conservative, but does not take any active part in political matters. He is a man of great integrity, and enjoys the confidence of all who know him. In 1881, he married Miss Laura Ellen, younger daughter of the Right Rev. William Bennett Bond, LL.D., Lord Bishop of Montreal.

DAVID WEISMILLER, general merchant, Hensall, Huron Co., was born January 22nd, 1859, at Wellesley, Waterloo county. His parents were John Weismiller and Sophia Holzschuh, who came from Germany in 1840. He was educated in the schools of Wellesley, Berlin High School, and the Normal School, Toronto. He taught school seven years, and had the reputation of being a most successful teacher. He commenced business as a general merchant at Kippen, Huron county, in 1884, and still continues it. In September, 1892, he opened a second general store at Hensall, and now has the leading business in this section. In religion, he is a Lutheran, and also a member of the Masonic order, I. O. F. and a Forester. In politics he is a Conservative, and has been twice chosen for Parliamentary honors, once in the general election of 1891, when he proved himself a gallant, though unsuccessful campaigner, and again in February, 1893, he was unanimously chosen to contest the South Riding of Huron. He was married, September, 1882, to Louisa, daughter of Henry and Catherine Deichert, of New Hamburg. They have one son and one daughter.

JOSEPH MATHER, merchant tailor, Staples, Ont., was born on the 16th of April, 1869, in Rochester township, Essex county, Ont. His parents, Ralph and Margaret (Moffatt) Mather, were pioneers of Ontario. The father came from England, when a boy. After his marriage he bought a bush lot in West Tilbury. This he cleared and in time gained a competence, and the esteem of his neighbors and acquaintances. Mrs. Mather died in 1886, but Mr. Mather is still living and resides with his son Thomas. Our subject was educated at the public school. After learning his trade in Comber, Ont., he went to Detroit, where he further perfected himself as cutter. In 1891, he went to Staples and established his present business which has grown steadily since its foundation. In religion, he is a Methodist, holding the position of stewart and class leader. He is also an earnest advocate of the temperance cause. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. and I.O.F. societies, and is financial secretary of the local lodge of the latter. In politics, he is a Conservative. Mr. Mather is a cousin of the accomplished actress, Margaret Mather, and a distant relative of Helen Mather, the authoress.

JOHN ROAF BARBER, proprietor of the Georgetown Paper Mills, was born on the same spot where his magnificent Georgetown residence now stands, July 5th, 1841. His parents were James and Hannah (Patrick) Barber. His father was Irish and his mother English. Mr. Barber was educated in the Georgetown public school, Streetsville Grammar School and Georgetown Academy. He was preparing for the University, when circumstances forced him to assume the management of the office in the Georgetown Paper Mills, in 1861, then owned by the firm of Barber Brothers, of which his father was a member. The firm was dissolved in 1869, and the late James Barber became sole proprietor, which continued until his death in May, 1880. Mr. John R. Barber then succeeded his father as proprietor of the entire estate, paying off the other heirs. The Georgetown Paper Mills make a speciality of fine book papers, aud turn out an average of five tons a day. Mr. Barber is also president of the Toronto Paper Company (mills at Cornwall, Ont.), and of the Barber and Ellis Company, Toronto. After serving in the Georgetown Council for a short time, he was reeve of the place from 1865 to 1875, and warden of the county council in 1878. He takes a lively interest in educational matters, and is a member of the High School Board. He is also president of the Mechanics' Institute, a past master of Credit Lodge, No. 219, A.F. & A.M., a member of the Congregational Church, and a Protectionist Reformer in politics. He has been in the volunteer service since December, 1863, and now holds the office of paymaster of the 20th Rifles with rank of major. He was in active service during the Fenian Raid, under Col. R. B. Dennison. Mr. Barber was married, January 1st, 1868, to Miss Mary, daughter of Francis Barclay, late Registrar of Halton county, by whom he has three sons and two daughters living. He has the finest residence in Georgetown, and enjoys the public confideuce in an unusual degree.

J. T. MITCHELL, V.S., editor of *The Topic*, Petrolea, O., was born in Brampton, Ont., June 29th, 1862. His parents were Robert Wallace and Eliza (Anderson) Mitchell, the father having in early life, emigrated from Dublin, and settled first in Muddy York, and afterwards in Brampton, where, as elsewhere, he engaged in mercantile pursuits. His energy and integrity are such that although financial disaster overtook him twice, once in the form of fire, and again through false friends, he refused to compromise with his creditors, but in time paid 100 cents on the dollar. He resides in Hunter, North Dakota, U. S. where, for the third time, he is acquiring an easy competence. His grandfather was Sir Wm. Mitchell, an author widely known in his day. Mr. J. T. Mitchell received his education chiefly in the printing office and by private study. At fourteen he entered the office of the *Huron Record*, at Blyth, then spent some time on leading newspapers in Canada and the United States. In his eighteenth year, he established the *Blyth Review*, which for three years he conducted with marked success. He afterwards conducted papers in Wingham, Palmerston, Drayton and Erin. He practiced as a veterinary surgeon, in Preston, for two years, and then for a year had charge of the advertising department of the *Brantford Expositor*. In 1892, he bought his present paper, and almost doubled the circulation in eight months.

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As a journalist, Mr. Mitchell is fearless, outspoken and independent. He is the author of a veterinary treatise on the eye (Æsthesiology) and some years ago, placed a medicine on the market (Mitchell's Veterinary Discovery), which he claims is the greatest medicine known to veterinary science. In religion, Mr. Mitchell is a Presbyterian, in politics, Independent. He is a member of the A.F. and A.M., the L.O.L. and the I.O.O.F. In 1884, he married Miss Letty Mullin, daughter of the late Thomas Mullin, of Lucknow. His family consists of three children.

THEO. DAOUST, architect, Montreal, Que., was born at Pointe Claire, April 13th, 1867. His father was L. B. Daoust, and his mother, Denise Valois. He was educated at the Christian Brothers' School in Montreal, also took a classical course at the Normal School. He took a special course at the Fine Art School in drawing, under Abbé Chabert and Mr. Lawrence. After that he studied with Mr. A. F. Dunlop, architect, for three and one half years. He then finished his architectural studies with Mr. Victor Roy. He started business for himself after this, continuing alone for ten months, then taking Mr. A. Gendron as partner, and this partnership continued for five years, it being dissolved April 1st, 1892. He now carries on the business alone. He is considered as a first-class architect, and has designed some of the finest buildings of Montreal. He has secured an enviable reputation with real estate speculators and builders generally, and his taste and the originallity of his designs have caused him to be much sought after. He belongs to Le Trappeur Club, St. Lawrence Yacht Club, Pointe Claire Boating Club, and St. Jean-Baptiste Society.

GILBERT MIREAULT, Q. C., barrister and solicitor, Montreal, Que., was born April 11th, 1837, in that part of the parish of St. Jacques de l'Achigan, now constituting the parish of Ste. Marie Salomée, in the county of Montcalm, Que. He is a son of Jérôme and Marie Anne (Melançon) Mireault, both of whom are of Acadian descent. The father is still living (1893) at the ripe old age of 92, while the mother has passed away. Mr. Mireault obtained his education at the L'Assomption College and graduated with distinction. He commenced the study of law with the law firm of Laflamme, Laflamme & Daly, and continued his studies in the office of Lafrenaye & Papin, finishing his law course with Mr. Rouër Roy, Q.C., City Attorney. He was admitted to the Bar September 1st, 1862, and immediately commenced the practice of his profession. In March, 1893, he was created a Queen's Counsel, by the Dominion Government. He was local president of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society, for the parish of St. Joseph, in 1880, and general vice-president of the whole Association, for Montreal, in 1883. August 22nd, 1865, he married Miss Elizabeth Mallette, and one son has been born to them.

W. J. ANDERSON, M.D., Smith's Falls, Ont., was born in the county of Antrim, Ireland, December 10th, 1839. He is a son of Rev. J. Anderson, M.A., and Elizabeth Johnson. The former was not only a fluent and eloquent preacher, but also one of the most prominent figures in connection with the Kirk of Scotland, in which he lived and died. The ancestors of the latter were English Puritans, who went over from England, in the time of Oliver Cromwell, to Ireland, and established the linen business, near Belfast. Dr. Anderson began his education in the public schools, and studied classics under his father's tuition, and later on attended the Matilda Academy, Canada, finally graduated M. D., from Queen's University in 1861. He is now (1892) physician and surgeon in active practice, coroner for Lanark county, senior partner in Laval & Co.'s drug business, proprietor of the Winchester Mineral Springs and Sanitarium, has a private hospital for chronic invalids, fully equipped with baths, etc., and is one of the original promoters and vice-president of the Ottawa, Waddington and New York Railway and Bridge Co. He is a practical agriculturist, and a member of several agricultural societies, was a superintendent of schools, a member of the Board of Education for the county of Dundas, a military school graduate, and retired captain. In religion, the doctor is a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. He is also a member of the Masonic, Orange, Sons of England, Independent Order of Foresters, and I.O. O.F. societies. In politics, he is a Liberal-Conservative, takes a most active part in the work of the party, and was a candidate for the Dominion House in 1878, for North Leeds and Grenville. He is a master hand at appointing and controlling political gatherings, and to his extraordinary executive ability in this direction, may be attributed many of the marked successes achieved by the Conservative party. He was married, January 18th, 1872, to Helen Montague, daughter of Hon. James Shaw.

JOHN WESLEY WHITE, barrister, Chatham, Ont., was born near Charing Cross, Kent county, December 10th, 1853. His parents were Stephen and Harriet Elizabeth (West) White. The former resided in the township of Raleigh, in the said county, and owing to his excellent business ability was, while yet a young man, placed at the head of the municipality, where he remained with the exception of very slight intervals until the time of his death in 1887. He was a Justice of the Peace, director and overseer of the Dominion Grange, director of the London Mutual Fire Insurance Co., member of the Provincial Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario, and from 1872 to his decease, continually represented district No. 12 in the council. Politically, he was a leading Reformer, having contested the Riding of West Kent for the Provincial Legislature in 1875, but was defeated by a small majority. He was in religion a Methodist, and was at various times called upon to fill some of the highest positions in the gift of the church. Mr. White was educated at the Chatham Grammar School, London Commercial College, Toronto Normal School and Cobourg Collegiate Institute, matriculating from the latter in 1881. He began the study of law in September of the same year, and spent the four following years with Chas. E. Pegley, Q.C., of Chatham, and the last year in Toronto, with Messrs. Maclaren, McDonald, Merritt & Shepley. He was admitted to practice as solicitor, and called to the Bar in September 1886, and was also appointed notary public the same year. He has built up one of the largest business connections in Western Canada, paying particular attention to wills, instruments, trusts, administrations, collections and commercial law. His affable, kind and candid manner, combined with energy, zeal and force of character, should warrant his future success. He was married, August 28th, 1889, to Mary Jane, only daughter of Wm. Jones, Esq., of Toronto. He is in religion a Methodist.

FREDERICK EDMOND VILLENEUVE, advocate, Montreal, Q., was born in that city, March 6th, 1867. His father, Joseph Octave Villeneuve, was an alderman, also a member of Parliament for Quebec, and was one of the best known public men of his day, and greatly respected by all parties. His mother's name was Susan Walker, a native of Sorel. Mr. Villeneuve began his education at the Montreal College of Sulpicians, and finished his course at the Jesuit School. He was a remarkably good student, standing well in his classes, and completed a very creditable educational course. He studied law at Laval University, and after leaving that institution, he continued his course with Messrs. Church, Chapleau, Hall & Nichols, and subsequently with Mr. Pagnuelo. He was admitted as a practitioner in January, 1890, and has since then, devoted himself entirely to the securing of a large and desirable connection, and has met with gratifying success. Mr. Villeneuve is secretary-treasurer of the county of Hochelaga, and president of the Conservative Club of Montreal. He takes a very active part in political matters, and is held in high esteem by his confrères and the public.

ALPHONSE RACINE, wholesale dry goods merchant, Montreal, Que., was born December 14th, 1848, at Laprairie, Que. His parents could not afford him a very extensive education, and what he did receive, was at night schools, in Montreal, and by diligently improving the scraps of time which he had at his command. Notwithstanding this, he obtained by his own exertions an education sufficient to fit him for any business calling, a fact fully demonstrated by his success. Mr. Racine belongs to the St. Jean-Baptiste Society, and is a subscriber to the erection of the National Monument. He is a Roman Catholic in religion, and a staunch Liberal in politics, taking an active interest in the affairs of his party. He has belonged to the Commercial Travellers Association since its organization, and has been one of its directors. He is also a member of the Council of Montreal Board of Trade, a member of the Council of the Chamber of Commerce, and is one of the founders of the Notre-Dame Hospital. He was married, in 1880, to Mary Jane Ross, a lady of Scottish descent. They have four sons and one daughter, all of whom are still attending school.

JOHN CARRUTHERS, president and general manager of the Prescott Emery Wheel Co. (limited), and mayor of the town of Prescott, Ont., was born near that place, March 6th, 1847. He is the youngest son of the late John and Mary (Calvert) Carruthers, both natives of Dumfrieshire, Scotland. Mr. Carruthers was educated in the public schools, and at the age of sixteen, started his apprenticeship to the machinist trade in the Locomotive Works, Kingston, where he remained for three years. He then worked for two years in the repair shops of the Port Hope, L. & B. Railway (now the Midland), and subsequently worked in Paterson, N. J., Scranton, Pa., and Meadville, Pa., U. S. He then commenced travelling for the Northampton Emery Wheel Co. of Leeds, Mass., and with one exception, was the first travelling salesman of emery wheels. He represented this company at the first industrial exhibition held in Cincinnati, Ohio, Chicago, Ill., and Nashville, Tenn., and continued to represent this company in the United States and Canada until 1877, when they established a branch office at Prescott, Ont., of which he was manager until 1881, when he commenced the manufacturing of emery wheels on his own account, since which time his business has steadily increased, and now the Prescott Emery Wheel Co. send goods to every part of Canada, and to different parts of the United States. Mr. Carruthers was a member of the Prescott town council for two years, and has been mayor continuously since 1887. He was the unsuccessful candidate of the Reform party for the Dominion Parliament in the election of March, 1891. Mr. Carruthers was married, December 25th, 1872, to Miss Maggie, daughter of the late James Weir, of Spencerville. In religion he is a Presbyterian. He is also a prominent Free Mason, being a P.M. in the Blue Lodge, and a P. Z. in the Royal Arch Masons. He may be said to possess all the qualifications of a first-class citizen, and enjoys the confidence and esteem of all who know him.

ALBERT J. FISHER, M.D., Ph. G., Brigden, Ont., was born in Peel township, Wellington county, October 23rd, 1860. He is the fourth son of the late Colonel Alexander Fisher, of the 97th Regiment of the British Army, who was born in Glasgow in 1806, and died in Peel in 1892. He served in India, under Sir Colin Campbell, and being a well educated and exemplary man, rose step by step, by well merited promotion, to the rank of colonel. About fifty years ago, he settled on a farm in Peel, and married Miss Martha Magee, of Peel, who survives him. He was a Justice of the Peace, and often acted as arbitrator and judicial advisor for his early neighbors. Mrs. Fisher, a worthy helpmeet, and a devoted mother, is a woman of beautiful character, and held in universal esteem. Their family consists of four sons and five daughters. The sons all occupy very prominent positions as professional men and leading farmers, while two of the daughters are married and the other three are at home. The subject of this sketch, Dr. A. J. Fisher, was educated at Kingston, and after three years in a drug store, attended the Ontario College of Pharmacy, taking a special course in Analytical Chemistry under Prof. Hayes, and graduating in 1880. After several years' experience as druggist and chemist in Orillia, Gravenhurst, Huntsville and Kingston, chiefly as proprietor, he took his medical training at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Kingston, graduating as M.D., C.M. and L.R.C.P. and S. in 1887, and as M.C. P.S.O. in 1888. After a partnership of some years with his brother in Wiarton, he bought out Dr. Ames of Brigden, now of Sarnia. Dr. Fisher's practice is already large, and is growing very satisfactorily. He is a Methodist in religion, and in politics a Reformer. He is the president of the Brigden Gun Club, a member of the Moore Board of Health, Coroner for the county of Lambton, a member of the I.O.O.F., and is warden in his lodge of A.F. & A.M. He is held in universal esteem.

FRANÇOIS GILBERT MINVILLE DECHÊNE, M.P.P., barrister, Quebec, Que., was born in St. Roch, Quebec Province, August 18th, 1859. He is a son of the late Alfred M. Dechêne, merchant of St. Roch Des Aulnais, county of L'Islet. He was educated at the College of Ste. Anne La Pocatière, and in law at Laval University. He was called to the Bar, in 1883. His success as an advocate, soon brought him before the attention of the electorate, and he was first returned as a Liberal to the Legislative Assembly, in 1887, and was again returned at the general election, in 1890, and was re-elected, in March, 1892, for his constituency, the county of L'Islet. Mr. Dechêne, occupies a prominent place in the Assembly, and gives a good account of himself on all matters before the House. He is a ready debater and a fluent speaker, and is well able to look after the interests of his constituency. In addition to his heavy parliamentary duties, he is a very busy man, professionally, being a member of the firm of Bédard, Dechêne & Dorion, who hold their full share of important briefs in connection with their city and province, and do an extensive business.

DOCTOR HENRY RUSSELL, Quebec, Que., was born in that city, March, 1849. His father, the late Doctor R. H. Russell, was one of the most eminent physicians Quebec has had. Dr. Russell was educated at Lennoxville, and graduated B.A., in McGill University, 1869. He graduated in Medicine at the University of Edinburgh, 1873, was resident surgeon of the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, and private assistant to Sir Joseph Lister, while the latter was maturing his antiseptic treatment of wounds, which revolutionized surgery. He is a late governor of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of the Province of Quebec, and while studying his profession, he spent a long time in the hospitals of London, Paris, Vienna and Berlin. He is a prominent member of the Masonic Order, being a past deputy grand master, and is the presiding officer of the Scottish Rite, in the city of Quebec. He has also been the presiding officer of the Knights Templar, and Royal Arch Masons. He is surgeon of the Queen's Own Canadian Hussars, and takes great interest in military matters. He began the practice of Medicine in Quebec, in 1874, and enjoys a very extensive practice.

JOSEPH DALE, manufacturer, Chatham, Ont., was born in the county of Cavan, Ireland, May 14th, 1845. His parents, James and Mary (Barrett) Dale, emigrated to Canada in 1843, settling near Ottawa city, and subsequently removed to Thorold. Mr. Dale attended the public schools of Thorold for a time, when on the death of his father, he was obliged to abandon school to assist in the support of his mother and sisters. He learned the trade of moulder, serving his time with A. Dobbie, Thorold, working in the shop during the day, and attending night school. When Mr. Dale had been a journeyman for some four years, he rented a foundry, saw mill, planing mill, machine and blacksmith's shops, at Ridgeway, which he conducted successfully for two and a half years, and then sold the business for $4.000. He then went to Dresden, Ont., where through no fault of his own, he failed. After this, he removed to Chatham and worked as journeyman for two years, and then established his present business. The word "discouragement" does not appear to be in his vocabulary, as he is determined that success shall attend his efforts. He invented the celebrated "Dale pivoted land roller," and sold the patent for $10,000 cash. He is now worth nearly $30,000, and expects shortly to perfect another valuable implement from which he expects to reap even a larger profit than that derived from his roller. In religion, he is a member of the Church of England; in politics, a Reformer, and also belongs to the I.O.O.F., I.O.F., Select Knights, Foresters' Circle, Woodmen of the World, R. T. of T. and Home Endowment Society, of Baltimore, and has filled the highest offices in the gift of these orders. He has been approached to stand for municipal honors, but refused as his business demanded his whole attention. He is generous in the widest sense, liberal to all parties, creeds and colors, and his word is equal to his bond wherever known. In 1869, Mr. Dale was married to Jane Ann, daughter of E. Hackett, of Niagara.

JOHN MILLER DUCK, merchant, Windsor, Ont., was born in Chatham, Ont., December 11th, 1848. He was educated at the public school of Chatham, and for a few years thereafter was Deputy Registrar of Kent county. He then took a position as book-keeper with A. Heyward, Esq., merchant, of Chatham. In 1877, he entered into business for himself, at Windsor, in partnership with the late David T. Smith, son of Col. Smith, of Chatham, and in this business he is now engaged. From the beginning until now, he has been favored with a very prosperous career, a result doubtless of his energy and fair dealing with the public, and his faculty of making friends of all who know him. Mr. Duck is an Episcopalian and a staunch supporter of the Reform party, and gives his hearty endorsation to every good cause. He is also a member of the A.F. and A.M. His father was George Duck, clerk of the Peace and Crown Attorney for many years, and an able lawyer, who died in 1859. His mother was Jane (Ridley) Duck, who died some years before her husband. His grandfather was George Duck, born in 1790. The latter came to Howard township, Kent county, in 1833. In 1837, he joined the St. Thomas Cavalry, stationed at Amherstburg, under Capt. Ermatinger. He was made sergeant major, and was afterwards stationed at Chatham, as captain and adjutant of the First Kent Volunteers. He was the first reeve (then called district councillor) of Howard. This council met at Sandwich and represented Essex, Kent and Lambton counties. He was also the first warden of Kent county, and although he was frequently offered Parliamentary honors, he always declined. He was also colonel of the Local Militia and clerk of the Division Court, at Morpeth, and filled these offices for years in a most satisfactory manner. He died in 1869. Mr. John M. Duck was married, Nov. 29th, 1877, to Flora Macartney, daughter of Capt. Macartney, formerly of Paris, Ont. Four children have been born to them.

REV. WILLIAM BUCHANAN, Methodist Minister, Norwood, was born in Goulbourne township, Carleton county, April 4th, 1844. He is the son of Francis and Margaret Buchanan, natives of Antrim county, Ireland. Mr. Buchanan began his education in the public schools of this province. From the age of fifteen to twenty-two, he was a confirmed invalid. After recovery, he attended Carleton Place and Richmond Grammar schools, after which he taught school for about four years, and then attended Victoria College, Cobourg. He was ordained in Picton, June 15th, 1875. His first charge after ordination was South Monagham, Durham county, where he remained three years, then Warsaw two years, then Fenella, Warkworth, Trenton, Brighton, each for three years, and then entered upon his present charge June, 1891. He was chairman of Brighton district for four years, and is now chairman of the Campbellford district. He was a member of the General Conference held at Montreal, 1890. Mr. Buchanan is a very unassuming and retiring man. He was married, September 29th, 1875, to Miss Mary R., eldest daughter of the late Wm. Pendrie, of Millbrook, Ont.

HARVIE JAMES STRONG, photographer, Brussels, Huron county, Ont., was born July 22nd, 1870, at Bradford, York county, Ont. His parents are James G. and Mary (Bingham) Strong. Mr. Strong was educated in the common school, in the town of Barrie, receiving a practical education fully qualifying him for mercantile pursuits. In 1889, discovering in himself a taste for the artistic, he became an enthusiastic student, under the tutorship of photographer Vise, of Toronto. He made rapid progress in the mastery of the most delicate processes of the art, and in 1892, he opened a photographic studio in the town of Brussels. He at once obtained a reputation among his customers and art connoisseurs, and his patrons include those of the most cultivated taste. This would be naturally anticipated from the beautiful specimens of his handiwork. They are equal to the best productions of the leading galleries of Toronto and London. Mr. Strong makes a speciality also of landscape views, ground and residences. In religion, he is an adherent of the Methodist Church. His social qualities are admirable, and he is highly esteemed for his quiet sterling worth.

THOMAS PATRICK O'LEARY, C.M., M.D. (McGill), Justice of the Peace for the district of Montreal, commissioner for expropriations for the city of Montreal, etc., etc., practicing surgeon and physician, was born in the city of Quebec, in 1835. His father was James O'Leary, Esq., M.D., surgeon in the British Army, who came to this country about the year 1818. Dr. O'Leary made his full classical course at the College of St. Hyacinthe, and although the youngest of his class, took first honors during the entire course. He then joined the arts class of McGill College for two years, then the Medical Faculty of the same institution for four years, where he graduated in 1859, having passed the examination before the College of Physicians, two years previous, for his license as practitioner. He then devoted his time to the practice of his profession in Montreal, where he soon acquired a large practice, with the revenue of which he bought areas of land, upon which he built, thus contributing his share to the progress and prosperity of the city. On many occasions he has been offered positions of honor, some accompanied with emoluments, which he invariably declined, not willing to accept any office that would interfere with the practice of his profession. In politics he is a Liberal, and on several occasions, has refused the candidature to represent the city of Montreal or adjoining counties, preferring to serve his party as full private, giving them the support of his personal influence. Dr. O'Leary was married in 1870, to Miss Amanda, eldest daughter of the late Senator Honorable Chas. S. Rodier, of Montreal. He has had eleven children, six of whom are now living, namely, two sons and four daughters. The doctor ,while a *Medical student*, devoted his leisure hours to music, composing and publishing several pieces, amongst others, "Les Bords du St. Laurent," "Hochelaga Polka," and the popular "University Polka," dedicated to his fellow students, which reached its fifth edition of 1,000 copies each.

MATHIAS CHAS. DESNOYERS, Judge of the Court of Sessions, Montreal, Que., was born at St. Vincent de Paul, county of Laval, on the Isle Jésus, April 23rd, 1835. His father was a farmer. He took an elementary course in the school of his native parish, and in Montreal. When still a youth, he entered as a clerk in the dry goods store of his brother, Magloire Desnoyers, spending his evenings in receiving private instruction from that well known teacher, Pierre Garnot, when many other young men, similarly situated, devoted their spare time to pleasure. Bent upon an education, he made rapid progress, and at this early day, gave promise of his subsequent successful career. He obtained his law education in the legal department of the Jesuits' College, in Montreal, where he received his diplomas. He also studied in the office of Mr. LeBlanc, who subsequently became Sheriff of Montreal, and whose daughter he afterwards married. Mr. LeBlanc had a large law practice at this time. He also studied with Sir George Etienne Cartier. He was admitted to the Bar in 1860, and for sixteen years practiced his profession in Montreal with marked success. For thirteen years, Judge Bélanger, now of the Superior Court, was his partner. Judge Desnoyers was appointed Police Magistrate for the city of Montreal, in 1876, and two years later, received the appointment of Judge of the Court of Sessions for the district of Montreal. He has also been acting ever since in the capacity of License Commissioner of the city of Montreal. In 1868, he was appointed secretary-treasurer of the Catholic School Commissioners of Montreal, which office he filled until 1892, when the pressure of official business forced him to resign. His life has been one of usefulness to the community, and he is esteemed by all who know him. He is a Roman Catholic in religion, and his eldest son is a priest of that church. He has twelve children living, five of whom are yet at school. Although a Conservative, from birth and conviction, he never took any active parts in politics.

JAS. EDWIN EAKINS, M.D., M.B., Belleville, Ont., was born in Newburgh, Addington county, Ontario, in 1850. He is the son of George Eakins, of Tyrone county, Ireland. Dr. Eakins began his studies at the Newburgh Academy, and in 1870, entered the Toronto University, where he took the degree of M.B., graduating in 1875. He then went abroad for a few years, and in 1875, obtained the degree of M.D. at the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons, Edinburgh, Scotland. He then returned to Canada and located in Belleville, where he now resides. During his eighteen years' residence in Belleville, Dr. Eakins has attracted a very large practice and enjoys the confidence and respect of his fellow citizens. The doctor is on the staff of the Belleville Hospital; physician for Marchmount Home; district surgeon for the Grand Trunk R'y Co., and physician of the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. He is a member of the Masonic and I.O.O.F. societies, but for some years has not taken an active part in the work of the orders. He is in religion a Methodist, in politics a Liberal Reformer. Dr. Eakins was married in 1878, to Miss Annetta, daughter of Sidney Warner, Esq.

JOSEPH ALEX. LAIRD, reeve of Hamburg, Ont., was born September 26th, 1844, in Waterloo county, Ont. His parents were John and Rebecca (Crotty) Laird. They were both Irish, his father being one of a few survivors from a ship wreck in crossing the Atlantic. Our subject was educated in the public school, and at the Ingersoll Grammar School. He also holds a certificate from the Toronto Military School, and was for some years captain of No. 1 Company of the 29th Batallion, and he is very fond of military matters. He conducted farming for many years very successfully, and in 1883, removed to Hamburg, and engaged in the grain business for a number of years. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, the I.O.O.F., I.O.F. and A.O.U.W. He was a member of the Wilmot township Council for two years, and was first deputy reeve of Wilmot township, for a similar period. He was in the Hamburg Council in 1886 and 1887, and reeve in 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892 and 1893. He was married, Jan. 25th, 1871, to Miss Agnes, daughter of W. R. Plum, J. P., of Waterloo county, Ont. His family consists of three sons and one daughter.

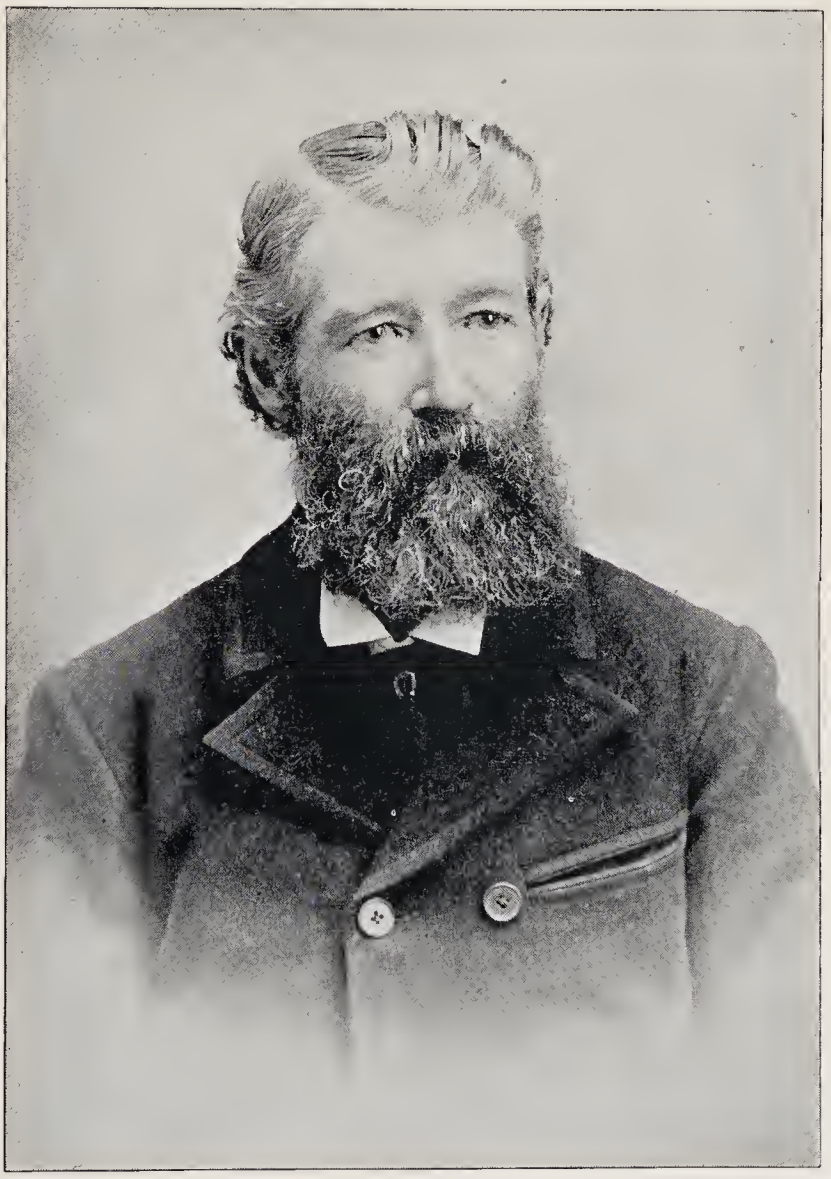
JEAN DAMIEN ROLLAND, merchant, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, in 1841. He is the eldest son of the late Hon. Jean-Baptiste Rolland, who was a member of the Dominion Senate, a gentleman who was highly esteemed by all classes, in Montreal. He received his education at the Christian Brothers' School, and the Jesuits' College. He commenced his commercial career in 1857, as clerk, in the extensive book, paper and fancy goods house, which his father had founded in the year 1842. In 1859, he was admitted as partner, and on the death of his father, in 1888, he became principal in the business, which he has carried on with his three brothers ever since. Their paper mill at St. Jérôme, P.Q., is one of the finest in the Dominion of Canada. They are the only manufacturers in Canada of tub sized and loft dried papers, and enjoy a large and prosperous trade. The partners in the firm are well and favorably known in commercial circles, and they have always interested themselves in any movement likely to benefit the city. Mr. Rolland was an alderman of the city, representing Hochelaga Ward from 1872 to 1892, having previously been Mayor of Hochelaga, from 1876 to 1879. He represented St. Antoine Ward in the City Council, in 1892, and on the occasion of his election to that ward, an incident occurred which shows what an indispensable member of the Council he is considered. He being defeated in his own constituency, Alderman Shorey retired from the contest in St. Antoine Ward, in order that Mr. Rolland should retain his seat in the Council. As chairman of the Finance Committee, he has done a great deal towards economizing civic outlay. As a member of the Council of the Board of Trade, he has distinguished himself in bringing about much good to commercial interests. He was one of the founders, and was vice-president of the Dominion Travellers' Benefit Society. He is also president of the Montreal & Western Railway, and a director of the Bank of Hochelaga, and of the Manufacturers' Life Insurance.

WALTER I. JOSEPH, local manager at Montreal for the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co., was born in 1863, at Birmingham, England. He was educated at Dr. Schwartz' Business College in that city, and at Kahn's College, Brussels, Belgium. He has been connected with the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Portland, Maine, for a period of six years. This company was incorporated in 1848, and hence is one of the oldest on the American continent. Its aim is to consider its policy holders' interests in every possible manner. Its contracts do not abound with technicalities, but are a simple promise to pay a certain stipulated amount, either at death or at the end of a certain term of years, according to the nature of the contract. Mr. Joseph states that the Union Mutual Life Insurance Co., is the only company issuing policies under the "Maine Non-Forfeiture Law," which provides that after three years' premiums have been paid, failure to pay any subsequent premiums, shall not forfeit a policy, but it shall continue in force for its full amount until the reserve upon the policy is exhausted. Thus, if a person aged 36, pays three years premiums upon a fifteen year Tontine endowment, and then discontinues payment, the policy will be continued in force for the whole fifteen years, and should the assured die during this extension, owing more than five annual premiums, the company would only deduct five premiums at life rates. The company has already paid under the "Maine Non-Forfeiture Law," since March, 1877, over $350,000 to the beneficiaries of policies that had lapsed through non-payment of premiums. It has also made payments to its policy holders since its organization, to the extent of $26,191,648.43. The assets of the company, January 1st, 1892, were $6,301,010,18, and its surplus, according to the 4½ Canadian table, $712,000.00. Mr. Joseph is a first-class insurance man, and he is making this popular company well-known in the territory under his management.

JOHN ATCHESON SMITH, L.D.S., Windsor, Ont., was born near Ingersoll, September 2nd, 1856. He is a son of George Smith, a pioneer of Oxford county, and a popular and widely known Justice of the Peace. He was educated at the Ingersoll public and High schools, and after leaving the latter, concluded to turn his attention to dental surgery. In order to prepare for his profession, he entered the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, at Toronto, and graduated in 1882. After practicing two years in Toronto, he located in Windsor, where he has been successful in securing one of the finest dental connections in Western Ontario. The doctor is very popular with the profession, being recently elected a member of the Board of Directors and Examiners for Ontario, and also represents a section of the city of Windsor, as alderman. In politics, he is an active Reformer, and interested in all matters affecting the welfare of his party. He is a member of the I.O.O.F. and K.O.T.M. societies. He is an important factor in the community, and has a very desirable future before him. He was married Jan. 17th, 1883, to Agnes, daughter of Andrew Smith, of Ingersoll. His family consists of two children.

JAS. STEWART LAIRD, P.L.S., and Warden of Essex county, Essex, Ont., was born in Blenheim, October 1st, 1842. He began his education at the public schools of Blenheim, and continued it at the Grammar school, Chatham. When nineteen years of age, he began teaching school, which he continued for four years near Louisville, Ont. He then entered the office of A. McDonnell, P.L.S., Chatham, and obtained his certificate in 1867. He first located in Maidstone, Ont., where he practiced his profession for five years, and then spent one year in Windsor, finally settling in his present place. By a thorough knowledge of his business, close and careful attention to the work entrusted to him, Mr. Laird has built up a large and growing business, and is justly regarded as a leading man in his profession. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics a Liberal. He is also a member of the I.O.O.F., A.F. & A.M. and A.O.U.W. orders. During the past seven consecutive years, he has been reeve of Essex, and is always active in whatever tends to the improvement and prosperity of the town. He was twice married; first, to Miss Adeline Arnold, and second to Miss Mary Beattie, Maidstone, Ont.

PETER FORHAN, retired merchant, Wallaceburg, Ont., was born December 15th, 1833, in New Richmond, Province of Quebec. His parents, Michael and Alice (Fitzpatrick Forhan, who were natives of Ireland, settled in Chatham, Ont., in 1840, where for many years, Mr. Forhan engaged in ship building, and was afterwards an officer on several of the craft which he built. Their family consisted of three sons and one daughter, namely: Michael, now a leading jeweler of Owen Sound, Ont.; Thomas, a prominent business man and bailiff of Wallaceburg; Maggie, afterwards Mrs. L. Doyle, of Michigan, who died some years ago, and the gentleman whose portrait appears on this page. Mr. Peter Forhan received a fair common school education, and entered mercantile life as a clerk in Chatham. His last employer, Mr. Beatty, selected him from among his clerks to become his partner, and the firm of Beatty and Forhan, did business for two years in Ingersoll, Ont. In 1865, Mr. Forhan opened a general grocery and provision store of his own in Wallaceburg, and although his capital at first was limited, Mr. Frank Smith (now Hon.), wholesale grocer, then of London, reposed implicit confidence in him, gave him all necessary credit, and remained his patron till he retired in 1885, and has been his fast friend ever since. After twenty years of an honorable and successful business career, in which he was ably assisted by his highly esteemed wife, Mr. Forhan retired from business. He now employs himself in raising valuable standard bred trotting horses on his 200 acre farm, adjoining Wallaceburg. On January 20th, 1862, he was married to Miss Ellen Ouellette, daughter of Peter Ouellette, formerly of Chatham, Ont., but latterly of Bay City, Mich., U.S. Mr. and Mrs. Forhan belong to the Roman Catholic Church, and are liberal and influential workers in their congregation. Mr. Forhan was secretary-treasurer of his church during the erection of the magnificent $15,000 structure which adorns the town of Wallaceburg.



ALFRED HENRY CLARKE, LL.B., barrister-at-law, Windsor, Ont., was born October 25th, 1860, at Manilla, Victoria county, Ont. His father, John Clarke, was a Justice of the Peace for many years, and a member of the Mariposa township council for twenty years. Mr. Clarke was educated at the Manilla common and Grammar schools, and at Oakwood High School. He subsequently entered the law office of McIntyre & Whiteside, Lindsay, and after three years study in that office, went to Toronto, and was one year in the office of Henderson & Small, and a similar period with Blake, Kerr, Lash & Cassels. He was admitted as a solicitor and called to the Bar in Michaelmas term, 1882, and at once commenced practice in Essex Centre, Ont. After remaining there about eight years, he removed to Windsor, in September, 1890, where he still remains, a member of the firm of Clarke, Bartlet & Bartlet. In the Fall of 1891, he was appointed local master of the Supreme Court of Judicature for Ontario, and Deputy Registrar of the Chancery Division, *pro. tem.*, in consequence of the illness of S. S. Macdonell, Q.C., and is also filling the offices of County Crown Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for Essex county. In 1886, he received the degree of LL.B., from Toronto University. In religion, he is a Methodist, and in politics, a Liberal. He is also a member of the Windsor Board of Education. While at Essex Centre, he devoted considerable attention to Free Masonry, and in 1889-90, held the office of district deputy grand master for Erie district. Mr. Clarke is very popular among the legal fraternity of Essex county, is a hard worker and painstaking in the cases entrusted to him. He brought to his profession, honesty, talents and indefatigable industry, and therefore, when he was elevated to his present position, he possessed a clear intellect, a well trained judicial mind, and a sound understanding of law. In 1888, Mr. Clarke was married to Miss Maggie, daughter of D. Z. Gibson, Esq., of Brantford, Ont.

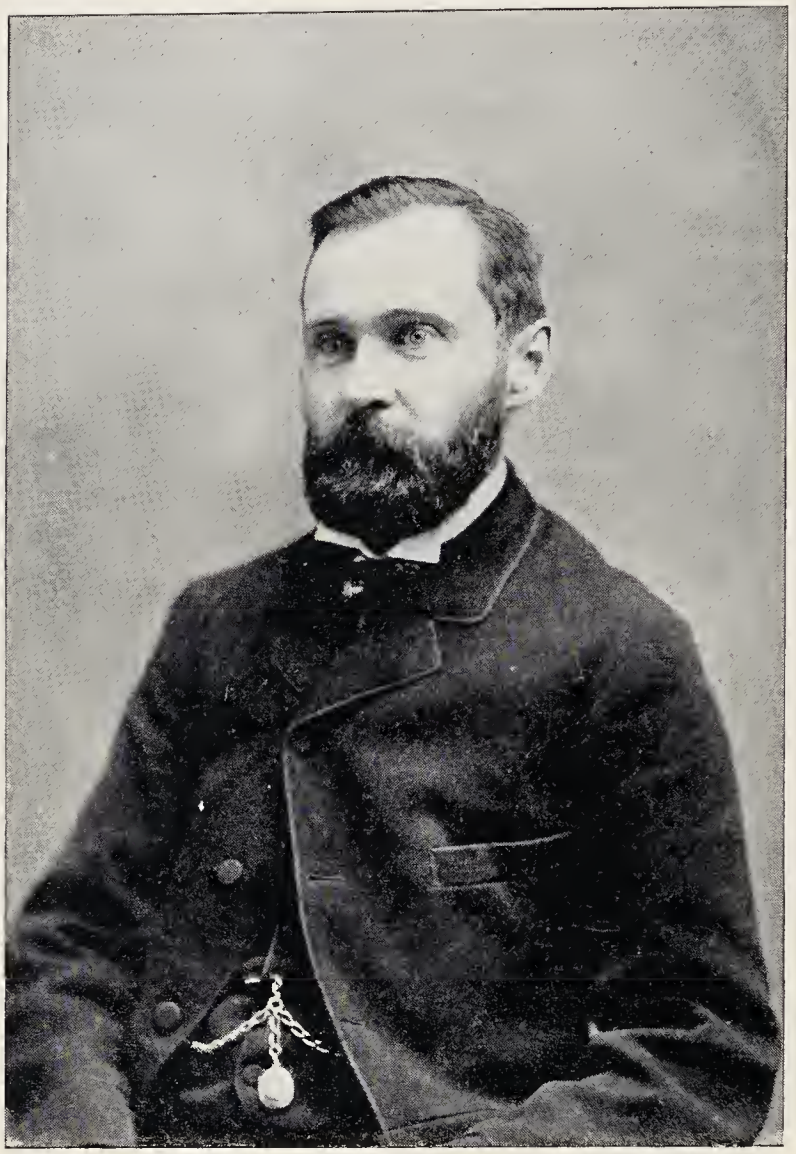
JOHN WALTER TUCKER, B.A., principal and proprietor of the Montreal Collegiate Institute, Montreal, Que., was born May 2nd, 1858, at Sorel, Que. He is the son of George H. and Mary Ann (Leith) Tucker, both of whom were of Scottish descent. He received his education at the Sabrevois Mission School, McGill Normal School, and McGill University. While attending the McGill Normal School, he received his Academy diploma and won the Earl of Dufferin medal. He graduated from McGill University in 1881, with first rank honors in classics and carried off the Henry Chapman gold medal. He received the appointment of first assistant in the Senior School of Montreal, and when a vacancy occurred in the High School in 1882, he was promoted to it. He remained as assistant in the High School until June, 1891. At this time there was some trouble in the school through the changes made in the curriculum, whereby the classics were being forced out of the school to make room for the so-called modern side, which Mr. Tucker thought was already fully recognized in the High School and Senior School of the city. On this account, he retired from the staff of the High School, and set up a private school on the old line of classics. In September, 1891, the school opened in a suitable building erected by himself with the aid of his friend, Mr. George Bishop. The roll contained 325 names. At the end of June, the first boy on the list of successful pupils for the annual examination of McGill, was from the Collegiate Institute. Notwithstanding the fact of the opening of the new High School in Montreal, the second year found the Collegiate Institute with 400 boys, and this institution of learning is doing grand work for the boys of Montreal. Mr. Tucker is a member of the Church of England, and is a Liberal in politics. He was married, December 22nd, 1884, to Elizabeth Anna, daughter of Louis Lemoine and Elizabeth Tucker. They have a family of three sons and two daughters.

REV. LOUIS ÉTIENNE AVILA VALOIS, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, October 16th, 1835. He is the only son of Simon Valois and Josephine Emmelie Latremouille, both belonging to ancient French families, the Latremouille descent going as far back as the First Crusade, and their coat of arms can be seen in the room of the Crusade, at Versailles. He was educated at the school of Benjamin and William Workman, Montreal, at the Montreal College; and after eight years of classical study, he went to the Montreal Theological Seminary. Two years later he went to Paris and from thence to Rome, where he graduated. He was ordained priest October 28th, 1859, (in the church built by his father) by the Right Rev. Bishop Bourget, then Bishop of Montreal, a large number of the clergy and laity attending his ordination. In the remarks made by the Right Rev. Bishop, he stated that the Rev. Valois was an only son, and that his father, like Abraham, gave him up to the glory of God, on the very altar that he had built. He was then made chaplain of the church and to the Sisters of the Holy Name of Jesus and Mary, and filled the appointment for over six years. Pope Pius the IX., wrote an autograph letter, praising the father of the Rev. Valois, for what he had done for the glory of God and the salvation of souls, by erecting a "Noble Temple," and imparted to father, son and family, his apostolic blessing. In 1867, he went to Europe, where he remained for over three years, continuing his studies, and performing some duties in Paris, at the Church of the Madelaine. In Rome he was kindly received by His Holiness in private audience, and great favors were granted him. He was present at the Ecumenical Council of the Vatican, in 1869 and 1870. On his return from Europe, he and his sister erected a church and a monastery, for the Carmelites, which were consecrated in 1880; since then he has devoted his time to that community, and is now caring for his aged mother, who is now ninety-three years of age, 1893.

GEO. STEWART GOODWILLIE, M.A., barrister, solicitor, etc., Georgetown, Ont., was born there, April 12th, 1842. His parents were George and Eliza (Forbes) Goodwillie. His father was a native of Vermont, and his mother of New York, U.S., both being of Scotch descent. His mother was descended from a noted Forbes family, who were forced to flee the country after the battle of Culloden. His father was from a noted Fifeshire family. After completing his course in the public schools, Mr. Goodwillie was placed under the tutorship of the late Rev. Charles Dade, a distinguished Church of England scholar of Cambridge. He entered Toronto University in 1861, and after carrying off scholarships in mathematics and general proficiency, graduated B.A. in 1865, and M.A. in 1866. He then entered the law office of Morphy, Sullivan & Fenton, of Toronto, where he remained three years. After completing his law course, he was for several years engaged as classical tutor and registrar of University College. In 1876, he began the practice of his profession at Georgetown, Ont., where he has built up a large and remunerative practice. He is a member of the Presbyterian Church, also of the A.F. & A.M. In politics he is an enthusiastic Reformer, and has been clerk and treasurer of Georgetown for sixteen years. In December, 1861, after the Trent affair, Mr. Goodwillie took an active part in organizing the University Rifle Company, now "K" Company of the Toronto Q.O.R. He remained a member of the company until he left college, when he joined No. 3 Company of the 20th Battalion as ensign, and has remained in the regiment ever since, now holding the rank of major. Mr. Goodwillie was married, July 21st, 1870, to Miss Annie, daughter of the late Jos. Barber, of Georgetown, by whom he has one son and three daughters. The eldest, Florence F., is now Mrs. H. Dalrymple, of Georgetown; Fred. B., is attending Toronto University, and L. and M. are at home. Mrs. Goodwillie died on 11th August, 1889.

NICHOLAS HOPKINS YOUNG, reeve of Blyth, Huron county, Ont., salt and stave manufacturer, under the corporate name of the Gray, Young & Sparling Co., was born March 18th, 1839, in the township of Bastard, Leeds county. His parents were William and Sarah (Hazlewood) Young, who came from Ireland to Canada about the year 1816. Mr. Young, the subject of this sketch, came to Huron county, from Leeds county, in the year 1863, and settled on a farm, in the township of Howick. He remained there about eight years. In 1871 he removed to Seaforth and engaged in the manufacture of salt, in company with his brothers-in-law, Wm. M. Gray and F. G. Sparling. After remaining in Seaforth about eight years, they extended their salt works to Blyth, with Mr. Young in charge. In 1887, they also started Salt works in Wingham. The same year, such was the extent of operations, they organized themselves into a joint stock company, of which Mr. Wm. McD. Gray, whose biography appears in vol. I, page 370, is president. It is well understood by the trade that this company holds the leading position in the salt business of the Dominion. The firm manufacture their own barrels and staves, and the extent of their facilities for the manufacture of salt will be apparent from the fact that they have a capacity of over 100,000 barrels per year. Mr. Young is a member of the Blyth Methodist Church, also trustee, Sunday School superintendent and recording steward. He has also been a delegate to the annual conference since the Union, and to the first general conference after the Union. He was school trustee for eight years previous to 1890, when he was elected to the village council, holding that position for two years. In 1893, he was elected to his present position of reeve. In politics, he is a Reformer, and takes an active part in the affairs of his party. He was married, May 31st, 1870, to Eliza J., second daughter of Christopher Sparling, of Seaforth. They have one son and one daughter.

LOUIS NAPOLÉON DELORME, M.D., Montreal, Que., was born October 12th, 1863, at St. Jacques de l'Achigan, Montcalm county, Que. His parents are Louis and Odile (Archambault) Delorme, who are farmers, and are still living (1893). Dr. Delorme was educated at the College of Joliette, Que., one of the largest colleges of Lower Canada. He entered this institution of learning in 1873, and graduated in 1880. He began the study of medicine in 1882, at the Laval University, Montreal. He obtained his degree of Bachelor of Medicine in 1884, and that of Medical Doctor in 1886. The same year that he graduated M.D., he was appointed resident physician in the Notre-Dame Hospital, and in 1889, he was called to the Chair of Anatomy at Laval University, Montreal, and has continued to lecture there since. In religion the doctor is a Roman Catholic. He is a member of the following societies : I.O.F. Order of Catholic Foresters, Society of the French Canadian Artisans, Society of St. Joseph's of Montreal, and Society of St. Vincent Martyr. He is also the medical examiner of these societies. Oct. 2nd, 1888, he married Marie Philomène, daughter of C. H. LeTourneux, iron merchant.



HENRY SAMUEL STAFFORD, editor and proprietor of the *Courier*, (Conservative), Morrisburg, Ont., was born in Leeds county, Ont., October 11th, 1858. He is a son of the late Wm. Harrison Stafford, and at the age of five years removed with his parents to Athens, Ont., where he attended the public and High schools. At the age of fourteen, he entered the office of the Renfrew *Mercury*, and served three years apprenticeship to the printing business. He subsequently worked on the Brockville *Recorder*, Montreal *Star*, Montreal *Herald*, and was for five years the parliamentary reporter for the Montreal *Gazette*, and was one year secretary of the press gallery. He remained with the *Gazette* until September, 1890, when he purchased the Morrisburg *Courier*. Mr. Stafford was Associate Press correspondent in Montreal, and correspondent for the New York *Tribune*, New York *Times*, Boston *Herald*, Chicago *Times*, Minneapolis *Tribune*. The *Courier* has become widely known and deservedly popular. He is a member of the A.F. and A.M., and in religion, is a Presbyterian. He was married, May 18th, 1880, to Sara A., fourth daughter of the late Robert Kent, of Montreal.

R. L. GOSNELL, barrister, solicitor and Police Magistrate of Blenheim, Ont., was born in Orford township, Kent county, May 17th, 1863. His parents, James and Elizabeth (Salter) Gosnell are still living (1893), and are among the most widely known and highly esteemed pioneers of Orford. The former located there on coming from Ireland about 1830. He is a life-long Methodist, an ardent Reformer, and an earnest, consistent advocate of the temperance cause. He is one of a large family, whose united history forms a considerable portion of the history of the township. Mr. Gosnell received his primary education at the public schools in Kent Co., after which he taught a few years in Orford and Howard townships. Latterly he attended the Ridgetown Collegiate Institute, from which he matriculated in 1884. After a short term in the law office of N. Mills, Ridgetown, he entered the legal firm of Foy & Kelly, Toronto, where he remained three years. In 1889, Mr. Gosnell passed his final examination as barrister and solicitor, was admitted to practice and located in Blenheim in January, 1890, where he has already secured a fine practice, paying particular attention to wills, administrations, general commercial law, and since his appointment as Police Magistrate, to criminal law. This latter appointment in 1891, was made at the special request and petition of the town council. Mr. Gosnell also does a large amount of work for monetary institutions, among others the Canadian Bank of Commerce. He is an adherent of the Methodist Church, and a member of the Select Knights of Canada and the I.O.O.F. orders, and is noble grand in the latter. In politics, he is a staunch Liberal, and takes an active interest in the local organizations of his party, being secretary of the Blenheim and South Harwich branch of the Reform Association for the county of Kent. He is still a young man with a bright outlook. He was married, March 2nd, 1892, to Miss Lillie, daughter of Wm. Tape, of Howard, Ont.

AZARIE BRODEUR, Doctor in Medicine and Laureate of the Faculty of Medicine of Paris, Laureate of the Institut de France, Knight of the Legion of Honor, was born in Varennes, on 7th July, 1850. His ancestors came from Luçon, France, in 1679. He was educated at Varennes and St. Laurent Colleges, took his medical course at the Victoria School, and went to Paris in 1874, to complete his medical and surgical education. While in the great city, he first attended Trousseau's Hospital, and in the following year, was assigned the position of assistant surgeon in Loursine's Hospital, after a brilliant competitive examination. He spent the year 1877, in Beaujon's Hospital, and from 1878 to 1885, was successively residing physician in the hospitals of Chardon-Lagache, for old people, Loursine for midwifery, Ivry for incurables, Tenon for general hospital and St. Louis for surgery. He has studied and practiced under such eminent specialists as Péan, Gubler, Trélat, Dreyfus-Brissac, Lucas-Championnière, Lefort, Périer, Gouraud and Ferréol. In 1886, he passed his final examination with great distinction, his thesis being "The intervention of surgery in the diseases of the kidney," a treatise of nearly 600 pages; he was awarded the silver medal and the title of Laureate of the Faculty. Later on, the work was presented to the "Académie des Sciences," where it obtained for its author, the Godard prize of 1,000 francs, and the title of Laureate of the Institute. Subsequently, the French Government decorated him Knight of the Legion of Honor. After an extended tour on the continent, and in Great Britain, he returned to Montreal, from which he had been absent thirteen years, and settled down to practice, which has been most successful, and is ever increasing. On August 31st, 1887, he was married to Miss Adèle Prevost, youngest daughter of the late Amable Prevost, a prominent merchant of Montreal. In religion, Dr. Brodeur is a Roman Catholic. He takes no part in political matters.

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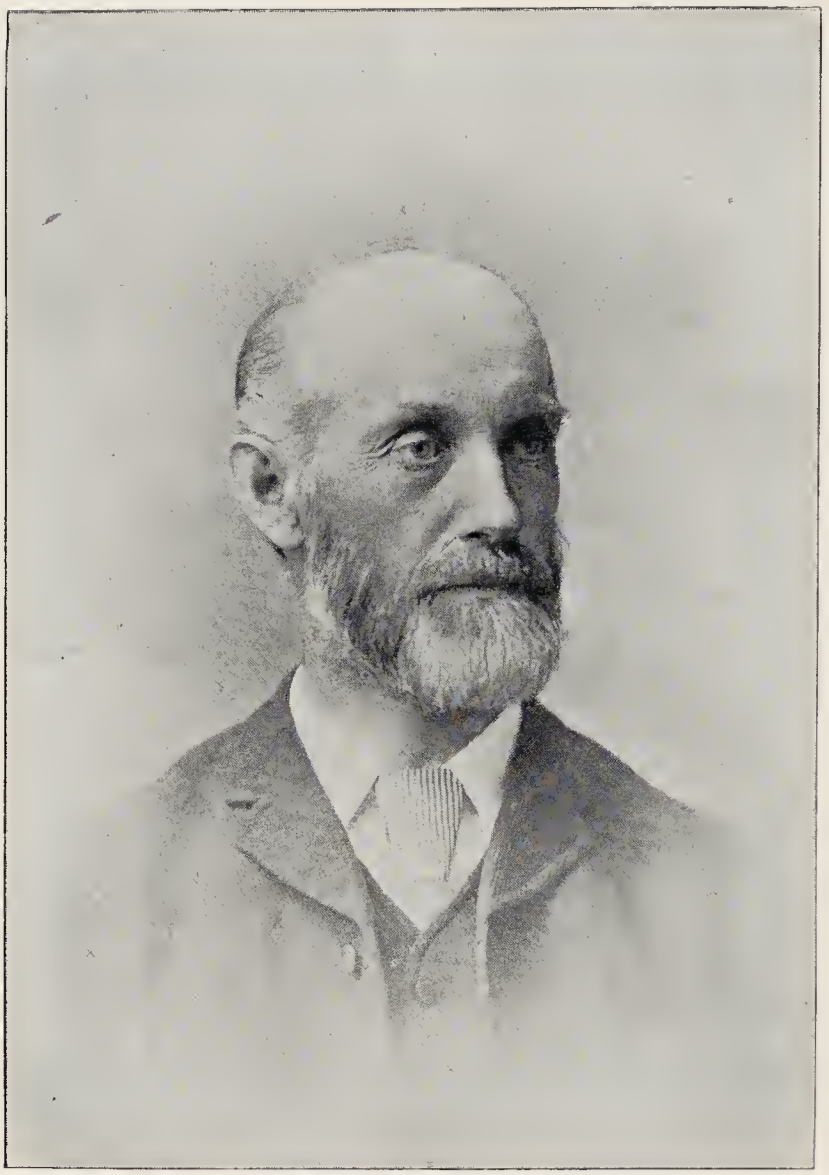
JAMES D. ANDERSON, banker, Essex, Ont., was born in Roxborough, Glengarry County, September 10th, 1852. After receiving such education as the public schools of his day afforded, Mr. Anderson began life at thirteen years of age, as a clerk in the store of Samuel Cline, Cornwall, where he remained about three years. He next entered the employ of Donald McRae, Glencoe, and at the end of five years became a commercial traveller, for thirteen years, first for three years, for J. Atkinson & Co., wholesale dry goods, London, Ont., and then for James McCready & Co., wholesale boots and shoes, Montreal, for ten years. In 1885, Mr. Anderson started a wholesale dry goods house in London, in company with R. C. Struthers, which partnership existed for six years, when Mr. Anderson sold his interest, and engaged in the banking business, in Essex, and is rapidly securing the confidence and good will of the community. He is a shrewd business man, and has won a large circle of friends. In politics, he is a Conservative. He is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church, and also a member of the I.O.O.F. In 1874, he was married to Mrs. Elizabeth Bawden, London, Ont.

JOHN J. DALY, dealer in real estate and publisher of the *Canadian Farm Advertiser*, Guelph, Ontario, was born in Durham, Ont., May 26th, 1855. He is of Irish parents; his father, who was a retired farmer, died in September, 1890. Mr. Daly began his education at the Durham Public School, and continued it in other parts of the province. His time was spent until he was twenty-one years of age, partly in keeping up with the regular school work, and partly in gaining a practical knowledge of Agricultural pursuits. Afterwards he spent four years studying in prominent law offices in Canada and the United States. This, with his formerly acquired general knowledge, gave him ample qualifications for entering upon his plan of establishing a sound and extensive real estate business upon an original basis. Mr. Daly's efforts in this direction have been more than successful, as he is now the sole proprietor of the most extensive real estate business on this continent. The *Canadian Farm Advertiser*, published by him, is one of the main elements of his phenomenal success, and shows very fully a keen and shrewd business disposition, an untiring energy, and an enterprise and supervision rarely found in any business. Although but eight years have elapsed since he began business, he now has hundreds of agencies in Canada, and is making extensive connections with the United Kingdom. The Guelph *Mercury* says: "Mr. John J. Daly has returned from Europe, where he has established agencies with prominent business firms in London, Glasgow, Belfast, and Dublin." Mr. Daly takes no prominent part in political or public matters, owing to his business requiring all his time and attention. In business dealings, he is liberal, and one of the most able and highly respected business men of the city of Guelph. He has never used tobacco, and is of very temperate habits. He was married, in February, 1888, to Miss Mae A. Halley, only daughter of William Halley, Esq., of Chicago, U.S.A.

ARTHUR BATIE TELFER, president and principal of Tunnel City Business College, Sarnia, Ont., was born in 1852, in London township, Middlesex county, O. His parents were Thomas and Mary (Oliver) Telfer, of English and Scottish descent, respectively. Mr. Telfer was educated at the Brantford and Strathroy Collegiate institutes, the London and the International Business colleges, and Prof. Reynold's School of Penmanship, graduating with honors in all subjects, standing first in a class of 90, and winning first prize in penmanship in a class of 30. During his early manhood, Mr. Telfer farmed, and therefore understands the requirements of farmers' sons. In 1873, he began his career as a teacher, which profession he followed with success for fifteen years, and finally, rising to be president of the Lambton Teachers' Association, and delegate to the Provincial Association in 1890. Principal Telfer has now one of the best and finest business colleges in Canada. The imposing edifice stands in a most healthy location on the bank of the St. Clair River, and the chief class room 60 x 60, commodious, airy, well ventilated and lighted on three sides, commands an unobstructed view of the beautiful river, with its ever changing panorama of commerce and pleasure. Each student in this college, whether in Business, English, Shorthand, or Penmanship, receives the personal attention of the principal. Besides special class drill, the students receive lectures on the various subjects by leading business men of Sarnia, viz.: Messrs. T. W. Nisbet, manager Bank of Commerce; J. C. Douglas, manager Huron & Lambton Loan and Savings Bank, and J. W. Hanna, barrister, on commercial law. In religion, Mr. Telfer is a Presbyterian, and president of the Missionary Association in his church. He is a member of the S.O.S., and a prominent official in the W.O.W. On April 6th, 1882, he was married to Mary, only surviving daughter of the late John Cowen. His family consists of two sons.

LOUIS GEORGE AUGUSTUS CRESSÉ, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born in Three Rivers, Que., February 24th, 1860. He is the son of the late Augustus B. Cressé, Q.C., of Three Rivers, who is the eleventh generation of legal men in his family; also belongs to one of the old French families, and is the possessor of three seigneuries. Mr. Cressé began his education in the Seminary of Three Rivers, and won the gold medal at graduation. He studied law at Laval University and McGill College, graduating from the former with honors. He then studied law in Montreal, under Hon. J. A. Chapleau, Lieut.-Governor of the Province of Quebec, and Joseph Doutre, Q.C., now deceased. He began the practice of law in partnership with his father, in Montreal, and to-day is a member of the firm of Cressé & Descarries. He is a member of the M.A.A.A. and honorary president of the "Trappeur" snow shoe club. He is also president of the Notre-Dame section of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society, and honorary president of several workingmen's societies. He was elected alderman for the Centre Ward in 1892. He was married, in 1882, to Miss St. Jean, daughter of a wealthy merchant of Montreal.



JOHN RICHARD HARRIS, proprietor of the firm of Harris & Co., woolen manufacturers, Rockwood, Ont., was born August 29th, 1837, at that place. His parents John and Jane (Wetherald) Harris, were amongst the first settlers of Eramosa township. Mr. Harris was educated in the public schools and the Rockwood Academy. In 1867, he established a woolen mill at Rockwood, in company with his brothers, Thomas and Joseph. Joseph retired in January, 1874, and Thomas, in January, 1887. Since then, Mr. Harris has carried the business to its present proportions. He makes a specialty of friezes for the wholesale trade, but manufactures a general line for his local customers. The factory buildings were replaced by stone, in 1884, and the entire machinery is of the latest pattern. He is a member of the school board; and was for some years in the township council. In politics a Reformer, and in religion a Friend. He was married, October 21st, 1863, to Mariana, daughter of John and Mary Ann Treffry, by whom he has four sons. The eldest, William, is identified with his father's business, and the other three, Charles, Edwin and Richard, are still pursuing their education.

WILLIAM BARCLAY CRAIG, B.A., head master of the High School, Arnprior, Ont., was born December 18th, 1852, at Inverurie, Aberdeen, Scotland. He is a son of George and Ann (Clark) Craig, who with other members of the family removed to America, and settled in Arnprior, about the year 1857, but the subject of this sketch remained in Scotland until 1873. Mr. Craig's father is a J. P. and for over twenty years either a member of the Arnprior Council or School Board. He is now president of the Arnprior branch of the South Renfrew Reform Association, and was once strongly urged to stand as the Reform candidate for the Local House, in South Renfrew, but declined. Mr. Craig received his early education at the parish school of Kincardine, O'Neil, Scotland, and Ash Tree Academy, in Staffordshire, Eng. He entered Aberdeen, (Scotland) Grammar School. in 1866, and matriculated into the Aberdeen University, in 1870. After working nearly two years in the North of Scotland Bank, he came to Canada in 1873, and after three years returned to Scotland and accepted a position as accountant for the North of Scotland Canadian Mortgage Company, at Aberdeen, where he remained until his return to Canada, in 1878. In September, 1879, he became first assistant master of the public school, Arnprior, and at the end of four and a half years, became first assistant master of the High School. After occupying that position for two years, he went to Kingston and took an honor course in Queen's University, graduating in the Spring of 1888, and became head master of the Arnprior High School, in July, 1891, which position he has filled with marked ability, improving the already high standard of that institution. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, an Independent, with Reform tendencies. He is also a member of the I.O.F. and S.O.S. Mr. Craig's superior education eminently fits him for his position, and being at the best stage of his intellectual manhood, he will doubtless have an excellent career.

AUGUSTINE McDONELL, P.L.S. and Civil Engineer, Chatham, was born in the township of Dundee, Huntingdon county, Que., June 22nd, 1828. He is a son of Austin McDonell, a strong adherent of the Stewart dynasty, who emigrated to Canada, in 1816, from Inverness-shire, Scotland. He was educated in the common schools of Lower Canada, the High School of Glengarry county, and the Normal School, Toronto, and confined his studies to English branches and mathematics. In 1860, he became articled to a Provincial Land Surveyor, and since then has continued to follow his profession with a large measure of success. Mr. McDonell was one of the promoters and engineers of the Erie and Huron Railway. He has also been prominently connected with the drainage of wet lands on the Peninsula, and introduced a number of important changes in the Drainage Act of Ontario. He was the promoter of the gigantic scheme known as the "Forbes' Drain Scheme," in connection with the land now known as "Kent's Little Holland," which consists of some 5,000 acres of land, which have been recovered from nearly two feet of water, and converted into fertile land, capable of raising during 1892, some 15,000 bushels of wheat. The cost of relieving this tract of country from its watery bed, was something over $56,000, and it is now worth upwards of $125,000. The water is pumped from this land by a huge water wheel some 28 feet in diameter, which makes about three revolutions per minute, pushing out with its gigantic paddies the almost incredible amount of 3,000 barrels of water per minute. This scheme was vigorously opposed by the people living on the high lands in the township, who spent over $5,000 in opposing it; however, Mr. McDonell sustained, and completed his work. He is a gentleman of large public spirit, and his character stands high for integrity. Religiously, he is a Roman Catholic, and politically, a Conservative. He was married, in Aug., 1861, to Margaret Flynn, of Brockville, Ont.

JOHN EDGAR BIRCH, organist and choir master, Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, Que., was born August 25th, 1854, at Reading, England. He is the son of W. H. Birch, S.C.F., the well-known composer. Mr. Birch was originally a chorister in the Chapel Royal, Windsor, under Sir George Elvey. After five years there, he went to London, to more thoroughly study music, under the direction of Dr. C. W. Pearce, and his brother, E. H. Birch, Mus. Bac., Oxon. Three years later, he became assistant organist at Wellington College, having as his senior, Dr. Alan Gray, at present organist of Trinity College, Cambridge. He accepted, after four years, the more lucrative position of organist at Hereford College, at the same time studying under Dr. Colborne, organist of the Cathedral. Three years later, he was appointed organist and choir master of St. John's Church, Notting Hill, London; a church noted for the beauty of its services. Through the kindly influence of Dr. Pearce and Mr. A. Eyres, F.C.O., organist of Crystal Palace, he accepted the offer of organist and music master at Trinity College School, Port Hope, Canada, and whilst there he accepted his present position.

GONSALVE DESAULNIERS, journalist, Montreal, Que., was born 24th June, 1863, at St. Guillaume d'Upton, Que. His parents were Antoine Lesieur and Hélène (Letellier) Desaulniers. They are descendents of one of the oldest families in Quebec. The maternal grandfather was one of the volunteers in the war of 1812. Mr. Desaulniers was educated by the Jesuit Fathers, of Montreal. He started at the real work of life as a journalist, working his way up in the journalistic profession, until to-day he is recognized as a leading writer in the Province of Quebec. His talents have not only been devoted to ordinary newspaper work, but he has performed literary work of an enduring character, among which may be mentioned some poetry possessing considerable merit and displaying real poetic ability. In religion, he is a member of the Catholic Church, and in politics, a Liberal. He is an active politician and a vigorous writer on political subjects. He took an active part in the last Provincial election, and did grand service for his party. Mr. Desaulniers was married, July 5th, 1887, to Elizabeth, daughter of M. Moïse Martin, of Montreal. He is editor and proprietor of *Le National.*

REV. JOHN WILLOUGHBY, Pastor of the Christian Church, at Drayton, Ont., was born in North Gwillimbury, York county, Ont., April 24th, 1841. His parents were Ellis and Miranda (Sprague) Willoughby. His father was a successful farmer, notwithstanding the fact that he was an acceptable preacher, and generally exercised his ministerial functions on Sundays. His mother was a woman of deep piety, so that their son John, had all the advantage of a Christian training. Mr. Willoughby received his education, largely by private tuition, and by diligent personal application, and as a result possesses all that vigor and independence of character, which usually characterizes men who have had to rely on their own resources. He was converted in early life, and joined the church of his choice. He began to preach in 1872 and was ordained in 1874, at Drayton. He has served the following charges: King, four years; Orono, four years; Little Britain, five years; Bloomington, Ringwood and Altona, also five years, and his present charge at Drayton. On his fields of labor, he has had extensive revivals, hundreds being converted and added to the Church. The chief doctrines of his church are, the Scriptures as a sufficient rule of faith and practice, the Divinity of Christ, the name Christian for the Church, for that recognizes Christ, and moral character and vital piety, as the only test of membership. He is popular and much esteemed among all classes and creeds, as a God-fearing man and a successful minister of the Gospel. Mr. Willoughby has been twice married, first to Sarah Beasley, in 1860, by whom he has two daughters and one son, and again in 1879, to Eveline V., daughter of Jones Gamsby, of Orono, and from this union there are one daughter and three sons. He has been for nine years a member of the Executive Board of his Conference, is a member of the A.F. and A.M., and the chaplain of Conastoga Lodge. In politics, he is a Conservative and he always votes for his party.

GEORGE M. WINN, journalist and publisher, proprietor of the *Leader*, Amherstburg, Ont., was born in Geneva, N.Y., September 23rd, 1863. His parents were Anthony and Mary (Donnelley) Winn; the former followed agricultural life in Yorkshire, England, before coming to America. Mr. Winn received his education at the Geneva and Parkhill public schools, but as he was compelled to abandon school at the age of twelve years, he is almost entirely a self-educated man. He entered the office of the Parkhill *Gazette* in 1877, where he remained five years, and then spent one year in Geneva, N.Y., after which he took charge of the Aylmer *Express*, as business manager, for one year. He then established the Parkhill *Review* for Mr. John Darrach, and remained as manager of the same for two years. In the Fall of 1887, he launched the Aylmer *Sun*, which he conducted very successfully for three years, when he sold the journal and acted as business manager for the Aylmer *Express*. In December, 1891, he bought his present business, which had been established the previous August. The *Leader* is the only Conservative paper in South Essex, and its present enterprising publisher is rapidly giving it a leading position in the county. Mr. Winn is self-reliant and fearless in his opposition, and very sympathetic and prompt in the promotion of any cause which he may espouse. He has been frequently asked to receive municipal honors, but so far, his retiring disposition has obliged him to decline. He is a member of a number of societies, amongst others the I. O. O. F., A.O.U.W., and Canadian Order of Chosen Friends societies, and in the latter order, has been for three years a member of the Grand Council, and chairman of the Finance Committee. In 1887, he was married to Miss Maggie, sister of James Fraser, merchant, Point Edward. Mr. Winn is in religion a Baptist, and in politics a Conservative of no uncertain sound, and is an active and influential member of the South Essex Conservative Association.

ADELARD TURGEON, LL.B., B.L., member of the Quebec Provincial Legislature, Lévis, Que., was born in Beaumont, Que., December 19th, 1863. His parents are Damase and Christine Turgeon, both natives of the Province of Quebec. Mr. Turgeon was educated at Lévis College and Laval University, and graduated from the latter in law and letters. He then entered on his profession as an advocate, and soon became a prominent figure in legal circles. He has secured a large clientage, and has held his full share of important briefs, and is known and esteemed for his honor and ability. His strong social qualities and affable manner, make him a desirable man to meet, either in connection with his professional duties or otherwise. His keen interest in the commonwealth and his ready grasp of public matters, marked him as a representative man, and at the General Election, in 1890, he was elected the Liberal member for the county of Bellechasse. He is an able member of the House and fills his position with credit to himself and his constituency. In religion, Mr. Turgeon is a Roman Catholic. He was married, in July, 1887, to Dlle Eugenie, daughter of Etienne Samson, Esq.

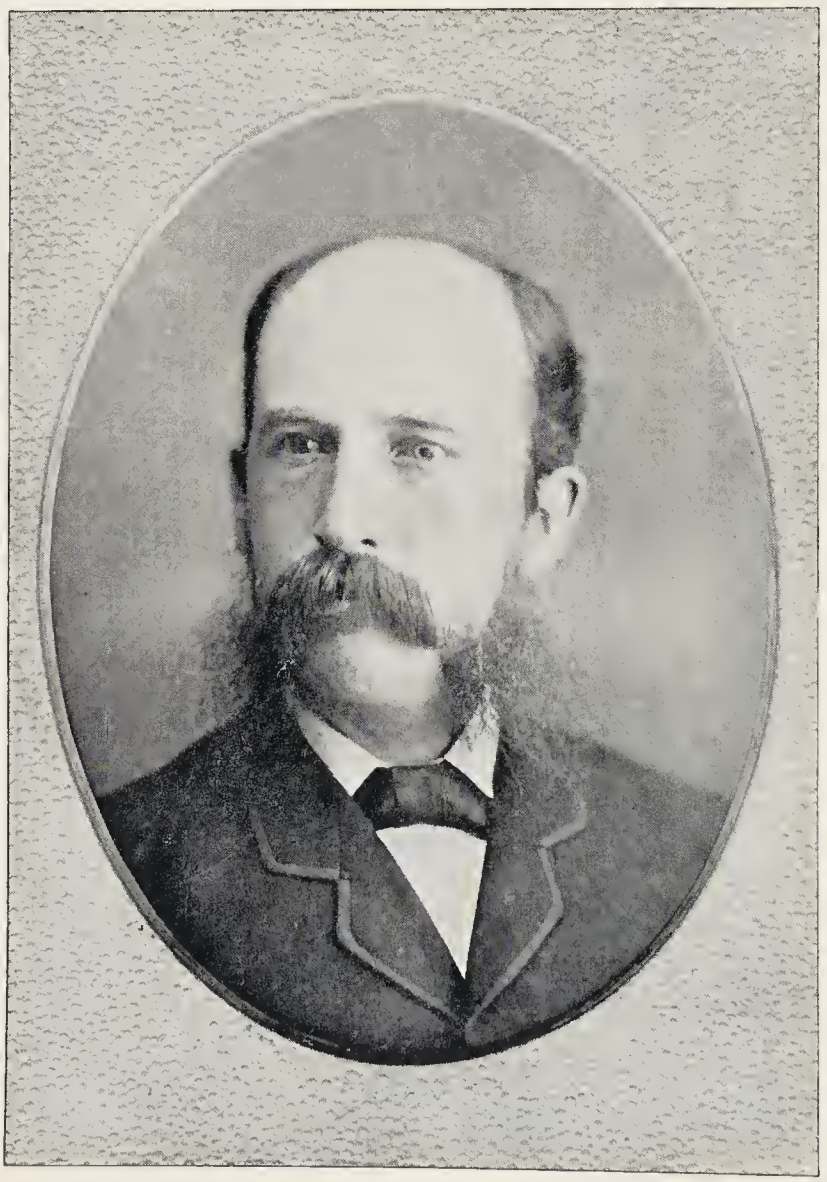
JOHN McSWEYN, barrister, Lindsay, Ontario, was born in Glengarry, Ontario, May 6th, 1841. His father, Malcolm McSweyn, was a lumberman who took an active part in the defence of his country in 1837. Mr. McSweyn's career is a striking example of what talent and determination will enable a young Canadian to accomplish in spite of difficulties. At the age of fourteen he taught school near Martintown, subsequently removed with his parents to Victoria county, and attended Oakwood Grammar School, in its palmiest days, and again taught for some years, meanwhile preparing for the legal profession. Mr. McSweyn began the study of law under the late George Dormer, M.P., of Lindsay, and was in due time called to the Bar. His marked skill in the defence of criminals soon gave him a practice of large proportions, and in 1892, he was made Deputy Judge of Victoria county. He is, in religion, a Presbyterian; in politics, an active Conservative, and believes in the federation of the British possessions. He is a member of the A.F. & A.M. and Sons of Scotland, and a past master of the Masonic Society. April 17th, 1864, he married Ann Graham, of Victoria Co.

GEORGE N. MATHESON, Collector of Customs, Sarnia, Ont., was born in 1835, at Embro, Oxford county, Ont. He is the eldest son of Donald and Janet (Nairn) Matheson. Donald Matheson was a native of Scotland, born in 1805. He came to Canada in 1831, and settled at the village, which he afterwards named Embro. He was clerk of the Court of Commissioners, and on the establishment of Division Courts, was appointed clerk. He was also postmaster, both of which positions he held until his death, a period of nearly fifty years. He, for many years, represented Zorra in the county council, and after the incorporation of Embro, was elected reeve by acclamation for sixteen successive years, five of which he occupied the warden's chair. When Oxford was divided into two Ridings in 1854, he was elected member for the North Riding by acclamation. He died in 1883, in his 78th year. The subject of this sketch was educated at the public school and at Woodstock Grammar School. On the opening of the G.W.R. in 1853, he was appointed ticket and freight agent at Woodstock, and so continued until January, 1856, when he was appointed to a position in the Customs at the Port of Paris, and afterwards at Woodstock. In 1859, he was transferred to Sandwich, and then to Port Maitland, Welland Canal, as collector of tolls, and finally to Sarnia. On the opening of the old G. T. R. to Detroit, he took charge of the Customs Office at Pt. Edward, where he remained until 1874, when he was appointed collector of the Port of Sarnia. Mr. Matheson is a Presbyterian. He has also taken a lively interest in masonic affairs; was secretary of King Solomon's Lodge, Woodstock, and is now a member of Victoria Lodge, Sarnia. He is also a member of the Wawanosh Royal Arch Chapter. He is an enthusiastic lover of the "Roarin Game," for several years president of the Pt. Edward and Sarnia Clubs, for a number of years secretary of both, and now first vice-president of the Ontario branch of the Royal Caledonian Curling Club.

FREDERICK ARDELL FITZGERALD, president and manager of the Imperial Oil Co., London, Ont., was born in London township, October 16th, 1840. He is the only surviving son of the late John and Rebecca Fitzgerald, who emigrated from Ireland in 1820, and settled in that township. Mr. Fitzgerald received a good English education, and began life in the wholesale and retail grocery business in 1860, in London. By industry and ability, he built up a large trade, which is now conducted by Messrs. Fitzgerald, Scandrett & Co., upon his own property on Dundas street, known as the Fitzgerald block. For the past twenty years, his attention has been largely directed to the Petroleum Oil Industry of Canada. He is the president and managing director of the Imperial Oil Co., a large corporation composed of leading oil men, with a paid up capital of $500,000. He is also senior member of the firm of F. A. Fitzgerald & Co., who are largely interested in the production of crude petroleum oil, and own extensive oil producing property in Lambton county. This firm were the builders of the London Water Works, in 1878, and were the purchasers of the London Water Works debentures. Mr. Fitzgerald is also president of the London Furniture Manufacturing Company, one of the most substantial industries of the city, giving employment to a large number of men, with a paid up capital of $150,000. He is also a partner of the firm of A. E. Pavey & Co., one of the most successful wholesale firms in woolens and gents' furnishings in Ontario, besides being interested in several other manufacturing, commercial and financial concerns. He is a man of unbending honor and in every walk of life, his career has been above criticism or reproach. He was married to Mary Edith, eldest daughter of Major Chas. Jones, of London township. His family consists of three sons and one daughter. He is an adherent of the Methodist Church; a member of the Masonic order; a Conservative in politics, and a Justice of the Peace.

WINFIELD SCOTT WOOLIVER, of Shaw & Wooliver, hardware merchants, Wallaceburg, Ont., was born May 17th, 1862, at Ridgeway, Ont. His parents are Philip and Martha Ann (Hershey) Wooliver, whose ancestry were pioneers of Welland county, Ont. Mr. Wooliver's farm was the battleground of Ridgeway, and Mrs. Wooliver herself heroically staunched the wounds of our volunteers, who fell on that exciting day. Her family, the Hersheys who were of Hessian descent, were intimate friends of the American General Winfield Scott. Mrs. Wooliver, was in girlhood, intimate with the famous Jenny Lind, with whom she often sang. Mr. and Mrs. Wooliver removed to the "Gore" of Chatham township, where they still reside. The subject of our sketch, after having received a common school education, engaged in railroading for a short time, and then entered mercantile life, as a clerk, in Dresden, Ont. After an interval of farming at home, he entered the employ of his present partner, and soon after bought an interest in the business. In religion, Mr. Wooliver is a Methodist, and in politics, a staunch Reformer, a strong believer in Free Trade and in British connection, he is a member of the A.F. and A.M., commander in the K.O.T.M., chancellor commander and master of the Exchecquer of the Knights of Pythias; past grand in the I.O.F., and a member of the Encampment in the latter order. Mr. Wooliver is also president of the Chatham, Dover and Sombra Union Agricultural Society, and warden of the Wallaceburg Fire Brigade. In 1883, he married Miss Foley, of Kamoka, Ont., who died in 1884; in 1888, Mr. Wooliver was married to Miss Clara B. Ayres, daughter of Wm. N. Ayres, of that place. Their family consists of one daughter. Mr. Wooliver is an excellent business man, and very popular among his fellow townsmen, as was shown in the municipal elections of 1892 and 1893, on both of which occasions he received the largest vote ever polled by any man in Wallaceburg.

J. H. SMART, banker, merchant, and postmaster, Kingsville, Ont., was born in Pickering township, Ont., February 7th, 1845. His parents, Andrew and Rachel (Haley) Smart, natives of New Brunswick, were highly respected pioneers of this province. Mr. Andrew Smart, who still resides at Culloden, Ont., where he is postmaster, took an active part in the formation of Dereham township into a municipality, and was its collector for years. Mr. Smart, their eldest son, at sixteen years of age entered mercantile life as clerk, in a general store, at Culloden. At nineteen, went "on the road," and for seven years travelled for different wholesale houses in Toronto. In 1870, he established his present business, whose annual volume has been about $30,000. Ten years ago he added banking to it, and in 1873, he was appointed postmaster. He is a member of the Methodist Church, in which he has held various offices such as class leader, delegate to conference, for twenty years teacher and now secretary of the Sunday School. In politics, he is a Reformer. He also belongs to the A.O.U.W., I.O.F., C.O.C.F., and the R. T. of T. He is a notary public, issuer of marriage licenses and a Justice of the Peace. On December 21st, 1869, he married Miss Margaret A. McKenzie, of Culloden, Ont., daughter of Daniel McKenzie. Mr. McKenzie, who died some years ago was an influential temperance man, and an active member of the Methodist Church. Mr. and Mrs. Smart have two daughters now living. A sketch of J. H. Smart and the history of Kingsville are inseparable. On its incorporation, he was elected reeve, a position he occupied for seven consecutive years. He and Dr. King were the only Kingsville shareholders, who sank the first gas well in Essex. He was one of the most active and influential promoters of the D.R. and L.E.R.R., and is acknowledged to be one of Kingsville's most liberal and public spirited citizens, giving substantial support to every enterprise which tends to the improvement and prosperity of its people.



THE LATE GEORGE THOMAS SLATER, was born in Montreal, Que., December 11th, 1829, and died there December 27th, 1887. He was left an orphan at the early age of seven years. He attended school until he was fourteen, when he learned the trade of carpenter and pattern maker, and for several years followed this trade with McDougall & Sons, large iron founders, Montreal. With ambition to do business on his own account, he commenced fitting boot and shoe uppers, and in 1867, he established a boot and shoe manufactory, which during his lifetime developed into large proportions. This business is continued by his sons, and it is one of the largest concerns in the Dominion. In politics, he was a Conservative, but did not take an active part in political matters. He occupied many important positions during his lifetime, and among others, he was director of the C. W. Williams Sewing Machine Co. He was also a member of the Board of Trade, and member of the American Presbyterian Church. He laid aside a certain amount for charities, but never wished his name to appear in public. A widow and five children survive him.

J. HONORÉ MACDUFF, architect, Montreal, Que., was born January 12th, 1868, at Longueuil, Que. His ancestors, on his father's side, came from Scotland, where they played an active part in politics. "Macduff" is often spoken of in Shakespeare's master piece "Macbeth." His grandfather, Charles Macduff, took an active part in the war of 1812, principally at Chateauguay. He died at the advanced age of 92 years. The father of our subject was Eustache Macduff, while his mother was Malvina Brissette. He received his education at St. Henry College, and at Bishop's Academy in Montreal, and then studied for three years under Mr. J. H. Bernard, architect, and two years at Toronto, under a private teacher. He then opened an office in Montreal, at the corner of Notre Dame and Aqueduc streets. Since 1892, his office has been in Laporte, Martin & Co.'s building, corner Notre Dame and Seigneurs streets. During the last three years, he has been the architect for buildings to the value of $500,000, including a church, public schools, etc. He is a Roman Catholic. Also a member of the National Mutual Loan and Building Society, and one of its valuators.

CHARLES F. ERNST, electrician, inventor, etc., Hamburg, Ont., was born September 9th, 1853, at Petersburg, Ont. His parents were John and Julia (Zoeger) Ernst. His father was born in France, while his mother was a native of Germany. The former emigrated to this country, in 1827, and was one of the first settlers in Waterloo county. After leaving the public school, Mr. Ernst took a complete course in the Commercial College, Toronto, in 1870, but has since applied himself with great diligence, to private study. He devoted ten years to the dry goods business, and subsequently travelled eleven years in the wholesale hat and fur line, but being a born genius, with an inventive mind, he naturally turned his attention to the study of electricity. For two years he was travelling salesman for the Ball Electric Light Company, in the supply line, and now represents the National and Standard Carbon companies, of Cleveland, Ohio, and the Electrical Supply Company, of Chicago, Ill. He is also proprietor of the Hamburg Electric Light plant. Mr. Ernst has numerous electrical inventions in course of construction, but the invention which is perhaps attracting more attention on this continent, than any other of late years, is his "Reliance Fire Escape and Hoist, and Fireman's Auxiliary." This wonderful contrivance was endorsed and recommended by a committee on exhibits, at the National Firemen's and Engineers' Associations' Convention, held at Louisville, Ky., U.S.A., October, 1892, where Mr. Ernst was present with a model. It is over ten years since Mr. Ernst first conceived the idea of a fire escape, that would insure the absolute safety of those using it, and the result of his fertile brain is certainly a boon to mankind. He is a Free Mason and a Forester, and is a musical composer of considerable note. He was married, on the 16th of July, 1876, to Miss Mary A. Laschinger, daughter of Joseph Laschinger, of Hamburg, Ont., by whom he has six children, five sons and one daughter.

REV. JAMES LIVINGSTONE, pastor of the Methodist Church, Listowel, Ontario, was born March 26th, 1850, in the township of Tecumseh, Simcoe county, Ont. His parents were John and Mary Jane (Poole) Livingstone, who were natives of Ireland. His father was an educated man, and taught school for several years after coming to Canada. Rev. Mr. Livingstone was raised upon his father's farm, and received his primary education at the common schools. When twenty years of age, he was converted and received his call to the sacred ministry, at which time he resumed his studies to fit himself for his calling. He was received as a probationer in the Methodist Church in 1872, and was stationed successively at Cavan, Brock and St. Mary's circuits. He then attended the Wesleyan and McGill colleges, Montreal, remaining in these institutions for two years. He obtained, while there, the directors' prize for elocution. Mr. Livingstone was ordained at Guelph, Ont., 1887, and since that time has served the church on the following fields: Kippen, Bayfield, Florence, Blenheim, in the London Conference. In 1888, he was transferred to the Guelph Conference, and has been stationed at the Rattenbury Church, Clinton, from whence he came to his present pastorate at Listowel. Mr. Livingstone has served on important committees of his church, and for several years has been a member of the Stationing Committee. He is a strong and earnest advocate of temperance and prohibition, and is one of the most eloquent preachers in the Methodist Church. The demands upon his services for lectures and special sermons come to him from various conferences in Ontario. He is a man of splendid physique with a commanding appearance, and as he is just in the prime of life, we may expect to hear great things from him in the future. August 8th, 1877, he was married to Miss M. A. Hammond, of Tara, Bruce county, third daughter of the late H. Hammond, of that place. They have nine children, five boys and four girls.

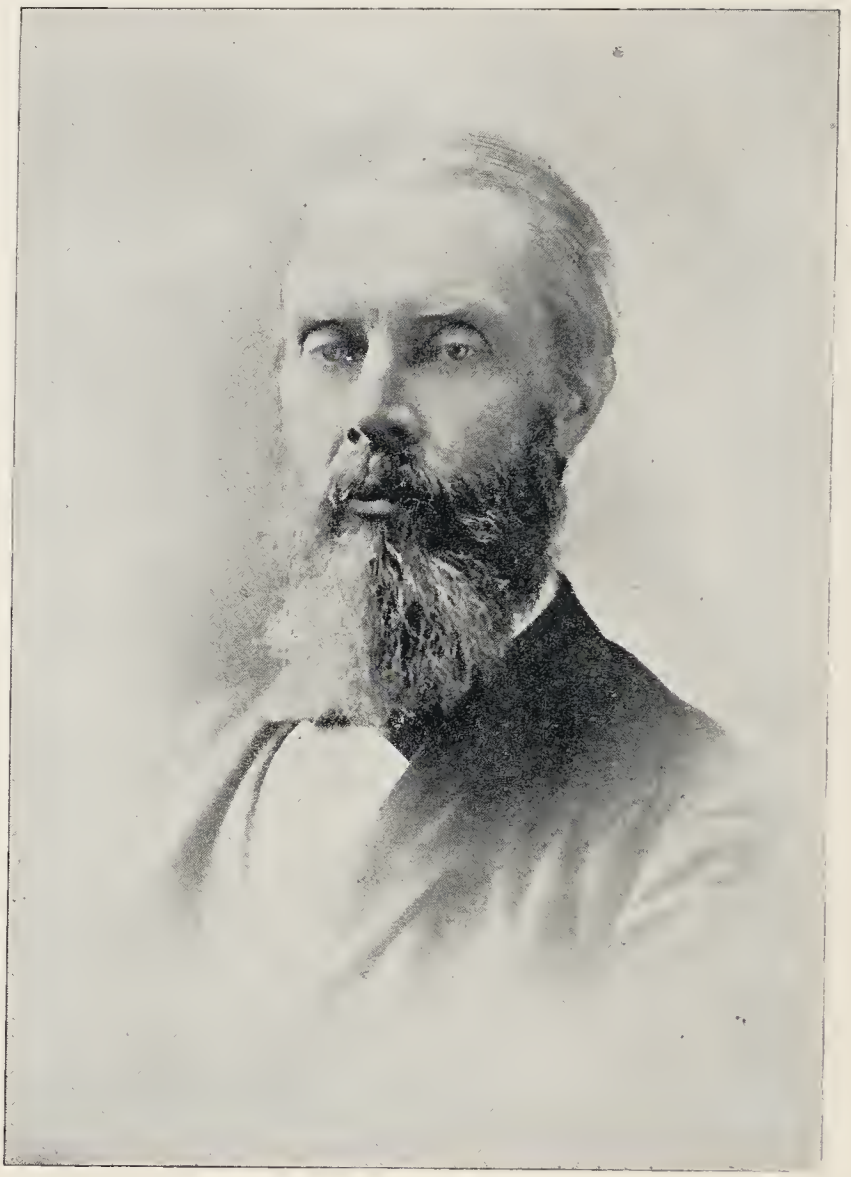
M. SINCLAIR, Courtright, O., was born in North Yarmouth, near St. Thomas, March 13th, 1859. His parents, natives of Argyleshire, Scotland, settled on a farm in 1832, when all was an unbroken forest, and the old log house still stands, a monument of those early days. Sabbath reverence was early inculcated in all the eleven children of this family, their mother being a rigid Presbyterian of the old Covenanting school, and the father an equally rigid close communion Baptist. A love of reading was common to all the Sinclairs, but of none was this more true than of the subject of this sketch. Every book in his father's scanty library, and in those belonging to the neighbors, were eagerly devoured. At the age of seventeen, he took a third class certificate, while attending a country school, at that time considered a remarkable feat, and after attending the St. Thomas High School for six months, took a second class, and taught for several years in West Elgin. His last teaching position, was as head master of West Lorne public school. In 1884, he was appointed to the Civil Service as railway mail clerk, and served in this capacity on the P.D.L.H. Railway, L.H.B. Railway and C.S. Railway, his present appointment being from Courtright to St. Thomas. He is highly respected in Courtright, and for several years served the community as township auditor. His spare moments are employed in literary pursuits, and many of his magazine articles have attracted wide attention, among which may be mentioned "Old Ephraim Jennings" (verse) and "Canada's Oil Country," in Buffalo *Illustrated Express;* "Ontario's Salt Territory," in *Lake Magazine;* "England's Grand Old Poet" and "The Railway Mail Clerks of Canada," in *Dominion Illustrated Monthly.* His wife is the eldest daughter of Jabez Spencer, Esq., of West Lorne, she is well known as a vocalist at church concerts, etc., being a former pupil of Dr. Verrinder, of London, also an ex-member of Queen's Avenue Methodist choir, London. He has three daughters.

CHARLES ALBERT EDWIN HARRISS, composer, organist and rector choir of the Church of St. James the Apostle, Montreal, was born in London, England, December, 1862, inheriting his musical talents from his father, Edwin Harriss, a musician of wide attainments. At the age of eight years, the subject of this sketch was the solo chorister boy in his father's choir; three years later, being admitted after severe competition, to a musical scholarship in the College of St. Michael's and All Angels, Tenbury, presided over by the Reverend Canon Sir Frederick A. Gore Ouseley, Bart., M. A., Mus. Doc., LL.D., professor of music in the University of Oxford. His first organ appointment was that of assistant-organist of St. Giles Parish Church, Reading, when a lad of fourteen, subsequently becoming parish organist to the Earl of Powis, and the parish of Welshpool, in England. He succeeded F. Davies, Mus. Doc., as organist and choirmaster of Christ Church Cathedral in Montreal, in his twentieth year, presiding for the first time in the Cathedral at the imposing ceremony of the consecration of Dean Baldwin to the bishopric of Huron. He transferred his services to the Church of St. James the Apostle, where, during the past eight years, the church and choir have become noted for their Cathedral services. As a rising composer, he has achieved success, not alone in Canada and the United States, but also in England. Amongst his more important works, special mention may be made of his Sacred Dramatic Cantata, "Daniel before the King," performed for the first time by the Philharmonic Society of Montreal, some two years ago. This work, published in New York, and then in England, gained prominence from the fact of its being the first extended musical work from the pen of a Canadian musician, published in England. A variety of songs, part songs, anthems, and works for the organ from his pen, have been published. As an ex-temporaneous performer on the organ, he is said to be at his best.

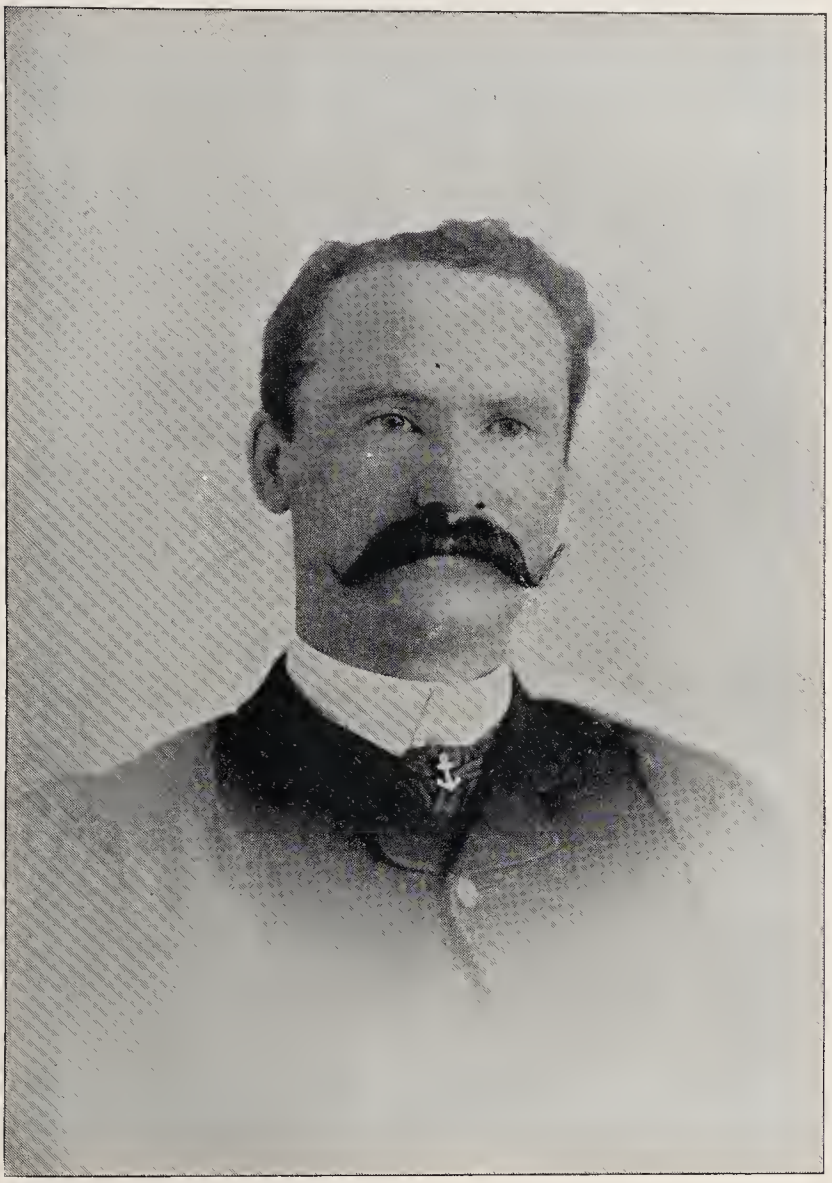
G. B. FARIBAULT, M.D., physician and surgeon, Montreal, Que., was born at L'Assomption, Que. He is a son of C. T. Faribault, a well known doctor in L'Assomption. The doctor began his education in the College of L'Assomption, then studied philosophy and practical science in Laval University, Quebec, and received his B. A. degree from the latter institution. He studied medicine in Victoria College, received his M.D., in 1888, and was then appointed house surgeon of Hôtel-Dieu Hospital for two years. He subsequently studied surgery in Paris, Berlin, London and Vienna, and returned to Canada in December 1891. He was appointed consulting surgeon of Hôtel-Dieu in January, 1892. He is also examining physician for the Mutual, New York and Phœnix Insurance Companies, and is a member of and physician to the A.O.U.W., I.O.F., and C.O.F. In addition to his large surgical practice, the various other important interests represented by him, are evidences of the way in which his valuable time is employed. In religion, the doctor is a member of the Roman Catholic Church, and in politics, a Liberal. He was married, May 30th, 1892, to Miss Alice Beaupré.

REV. FATHER ALPHONSE CHAINE, parish priest, Arnprior, Ont., was born Feb. 9th, 1836, at Rousset, in the South East of France. He received his classical education at Embrun, France, and subsequently studied theology at Gap, in that country. After taking a three years' course in St. Joseph's College, Ottawa, he was ordained in St. Joseph's Church in that city, June 17th, 1860, by Bishop Guigues. He was then curate for two months at Gloucester, (near Ottawa, Ont.,) and afterwards appointed parish priest at Orleans, Ont., where he remained for thirteen years, and built a church. He then labored acceptably for eighteen months, at Curran, (in Plantagenet township) and was appointed to his present charge, June 5th, 1875. He has been very successful in his work and is popular with all classes of people, and has built the present beautiful presbytery, since moving to Arnprior. When he first went there, the Separate School had but one teacher, now it has four, and they are about to build a convent. The full attendance at the Separate School is about 275. In politics, Father Chaine is Conservative, and is doing good work for his Church in a quiet way.

ANGUS NICHOL, M.D., Hamburg, Ont., was born April 15th, 1844, near Picton, N.S. When three months old, he was removed with his parents to Perth county, Ont. His parents were William and John (Macdonald) Nichol, both Highland Scotch. His grandfather was in the 93rd Highlanders in the years 1801-1808, during the Irish Rebellion, and was one of the original members of that company (having served three years in the Reay Fencibles previously). His father came to this country with his parents in 1815, settling at Pictou, N.S. Dr. Nichol attended the public school until he procured a first-class teacher's certificate, and then taught school for about six years. During three months of that time, he served as a volunteer in the first Western Battalion, Stratford Rifles, under Lieut.-Col. Reeve, in preserving peace on the border, about the close of the Civil War, in the United States in 1865. He graduated M.D. with honors, from Victoria College, Cobourg, in 1872, winning the silver medal. He then practiced his profession at Stratford, Ont., but subsequently removed to Haysville, Ont., where he remained seven years, and then went to Bayfield. Here he was a church warden, a member and secretary-treasurer of the School Board and Medical Health officer. He sold out his practice in Bayfield, and removed to Hamburg in 1890. Dr. Nichol is a member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, physician to the I.O.F. and the Maccabees, is financial secretary of the I.O.F. and health officer for Hamburg, and is a director of the Mechanics' Institute, and of the Wilmot Agricultural Society. He is a member of the Church of England, and takes a prominent part in church matrs. He is also the examiner for several insurance companies. In politics, he is a Conservative, but with independent leanings. He was married, December 19th, 1878, to Miss Ruth S., daughter of W. R. Plum, J. P., by whom he has one daughter. Dr. Nichol does a good deal of literary work, and is noted as a poet, and is also quite a naturalist.



THE LATE ROBERT BALDWIN, gentleman, Toronto, was born in that city, April 17th, 1834, and died there, December 9th, 1885. He was the son of the late well known Hon. Robert Baldwin, and was educated at Upper Canada College. When fifteen years of age, he had a strong desire to follow sea faring life, in which he finally engaged and remained in connection with the merchant service for several years. For many years subsequent to this, he was not actively engaged in any business, until the year 1874, he became secretary of the upper Canada Bible Society, and won the esteem of a large number of friends. Mr. Baldwin was very much interested in everything which contributed to the morality and improvement of the community in which he lived, and did grand work in many ways for the cause of humanity. He was a devoted and influential member of the Anglican Church, and continued secretary of the Bible Society for some years. He was one of the founders, and first president of the Y.M.C.A., and in the early years of its history in Toronto, devoted considerable time and energy to its progress, and rendered very efficient service to the work carried on by that institution. His noble Christian influence was a powerful stimulus to others to render help in this good cause, and much is due to his efforts for the good work that has been accomplished by that institution. Wycliffe College, Evangelical Churchman and Evangelical Alliance, can never forget the deep interest he took in their welfare. Politically, he was a Liberal, but took no active part in political matters. He was twice married; first, in 1859, to Miss McDougall, and in 1877, to Miss Walker. He had ten children. His eldest son, Rev. Jas. McQueen Baldwin, is a missionary to Japan, having been sent there by Wycliffe College; his second son, Robert Baldwin is a well known barrister in Toronto; his third son, William Warren Baldwin, is a homeopathic physician in Toronto; and his eldest daughter, was married to Rev. Dyson Hague, Halifax, N.S.



JACOB W. HART, M.D., proprietor and medical superintendent of the Huntsville and Sudbury hospitals, Huntsville, Ont., was born in East Durham, March 12th, 1858. His early education was obtained at the Durham county public schools, and continued at Omemee and Port Hope High schools. After teaching five years, he attended Trinity Medical College, Toronto, and graduating in 1886, at once began practice in Huntsville. Dr. Hart was a bright student, and his success in his student days gave promise of success in future life. The hospital at Huntsville, which has been of so much benefit to the community, and conducted with such signal success, was established by him during his first year there. The success of this institution was so marked, that after having had six years practical experience in its management, he determined to open a branch hospital at Sudbury, which he did in 1892, with Dr. J. G. McKee, as resident surgeon. The system of the Huntsville and Sudbury hospitals, in selling certificates of admission to persons in good health for a small sum, has proved a merciful provision to laboring men and those without homes, as otherwise they might be thrown into an almshouse, if not supported by public or private charity. On payment of $5.00, this certificate, which is not transferable, entitles the holder in case of sickness or accident, contagious diseases excepted, to nursing, board, medical and surgical attendance in either the Huntsville or Sudbury hospitals, at any time during one year from date of such certificate. Dr. Hart is to be congratulated on his success, and is deserving of every encouragement. The Dr. is a Methodist in religion, and a Reformer in politics. He is a member of several societies, amongst others of the A.F. and A.M., I.O.O.F., C.O.O.F. and I.O.F. societies, and was elected reeve of Huntsville, for 1891 and 1892, by acclamation. He was married, December 14th, 1892, to Martha P. Hood, a graduate from one of the American training schools for nurses.

LIEUT.-COL. J. BELL FORSYTH, Collector of Customs, Quebec, was born in Quebec, June, 1830. He is the son of the late James Bell Forsyth, for many years a prominent merchant of Quebec, who was born in Kingston, Ont., and whose father, Joseph Forsyth, came from Huntly, Aberdeenshire (where the family has resided for centuries), about the year 1809. His mother was Fanny Bell, second daughter of the Hon. Matthew Bell, of Three Rivers, Que., and of Samson, Northumberland, Eng., who also came to this country about the same year. Col. Forsyth was educated at Dr. Lundy's Quebec Classical School, and at Lennoxville. He also spent a short time in Paris. He was for many years previous to becoming collector of Customs, a commission merchant and broker, confining his attentions almost exclusively to the timber trade. At the same time, he ever took an active interest in all public affairs, civil, political, military and religious. As a president or director of a horticultural or an agricultural society, a bridge, railway company or club, we find his name in every part of a Quebec directory. He has been a consistent Conservative, as his father and grandfathers were, and on more than one occasion in stirring times, he was earnestly solicited to stand for the county of Quebec, for, we are told, "he is as popular with the French Canadians as with the old countrymen," and in the French parish of Cap Rouge, where he resided for many years at "Redclyffe," he was elected mayor again and again by his French friends. In military matters, he has always taken a deep interest, and for years has commanded the Queen's Own Canadian Hussars, originally raised and commanded by his grandfather, the Hon. Matthew Bell, in 1810-'11. He is a member of the Church of England, and takes his seat in both the Provincial and Diocesan Synods. Colonel Forsyth married Elizabeth Magdalene, only daughter of the late Thomas B. Anderson, of Montreal, for many years president of the Bank of Montreal.

J. W. WANLESS, M.C.R. agent, Courtright, Ont., was born June 15th, 1839, in Blairgowrie, Scotland. He is the eldest son of Dr. J. Wanless, a prominent physician at present of Montreal, but also well known in London and Toronto. Dr. Wanless and his wife, Margaret Macdonald, natives of Dundee, Scotland, have always taken a deep interest in every worthy cause in the different cities in which they have resided. They have had three sons and two daughters, viz.: Violet now Mrs. A. A. Dickson, of Montreal, Wm. Macdonald Wanless, of St. Catharines; the subject of this sketch, the late Dr. John R. Wanless, who died in 1889 in New Zealand, and Agnina, at home with her parents. After completing his education Mr. Wanless entered the service of Mr. H. P. Dwight, as telegraph operator, and after filling various responsible positions in Canada and California, he was selected as one of the expedition sent out by the Russo-American Telegraph Company, to build a line from Victoria, B.C., to existing lines in Russia, by way of the Behring Straits, and the shores of the Behring and Okhotsk seas. They sailed from Frisco, touched at Victoria, and in three months landed at Petropaulovski, Kamtchatka. After eighteen months' hardship and adventure in the Siberian wilds, during which Mr. Wanless met and became the intimate friend of Geo. Kennan and his artist Geo. Frost in his "Exile Prison Life in Siberia." The work was abandoned on receiving news that the atlantic cable was a success. After three years farming, Mr. Wanless entered the employ of the M. C. R., first at Fletcher, then a Cayuga, and for the past eighteen years at Courtright, to leave which pleasant summer resort, repeated offers of promotion have no charm for him. On January 19th, 1869, he married Miss Elizabeth, daughter of J. D. Anderson, of Wardsville, Ont. He has four children. In politics, Mr. Wanless is a staunch Liberal and a firm believer in Free Trade. He is also a member of the I.O.F.

VINCENT HOWARD MOORE, physician and surgeon, Brockville, Ont., was born in the township of Elizabethtown, Leeds county, Ont., February 4th, 1848. His father, Richard Moore, was a native of Wexford county, Ireland, and came to Canada when a mere lad, and died at the age of 85 years. His mother is still living at the age of 91 years (1893), in remarkably good health. Dr. Moore was educated in the public schools and at the old Brockville Grammar School. He obtained the degree of M. D. from Queen's College in 1870. In 1890, the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Kingston, conferred the fellowship of that body upon him. In 1884, he was elected a member of the Council of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario, by Queen's College, re-elected twice since. In 1889, he was vice-president of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and president in 1890. During that year he went abroad, visiting European centres of medical education, and was present at Berlin at the meeting of the International Medical Congress. He was also present at the ninth meeting of the Congress held at Washington in 1887. He is a member of Queen's University Council, and was examiner in surgery for the same institution in 1887 and 1888, and examiner in anatomy for the same in 1888 and 1889, and examiner in surgery in 1889 and 1890. Dr. Moore has been for several years a member of the Brockville Collegiate Institute Board, and is surgeon of the 41st Battalion of Rifles, and vice-president for Ontario of the Association of Military Medical Officers for the Dominion of Canada. He has been vice-president of the Ontario Medical Association, and is a member of the Masonic body, and has held every office in the lodge, and also in the Chapter and Knight Templars. He is an adherherent of the Presbyterian Church, and a Conservative in politics, taking an active interest in the welfare of the party. He was married to Margaret O. Burnham, May 12th, 1874. His family consists of two children.

JOSEPH ÉMILE VANIER, Montreal, Que., was born at Terrebonne, P. Q., on 20th of January, 1858. His father was Émilien Vanier, and his mother Lucie Soucy. He was educated at the Jacques Cartier Normal School, in Montreal, then went through the commercial course of the Catholic Commercial Academy. He afterwards graduated as a Civil Engineer at the Polytechnic School. After graduation, he started in Montreal at municipal work, especially in the line of street paving, and also on the Hochelaga system of sewerage. In 1878, he was called by Mr. P. Beaudry, brother of the late mayor of Montreal, to go to Los Angeles, Cal., to assist in the construction of the water works of that city. He returned to Montreal in 1879, and has since practiced there as a civil engineer. He has had charge of all the municipal works, such as water, sewerage, paving, electric lighting, and nearly everything connected with the municipalities which surround Montreal, as well as most of the other small towns in the Province of Quebec. Mr. Vanier is a late member of the Council of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, professor of geodesy and hydrography in the engineering department of Laval University, an expert in hydraulic machinery, late vice-president of the Society of Hygiene of the Province of Quebec. He is the chief engineer and promoter of the Montreal Water and Power Company, who are building a system of water works to cost a little over two million dollars, the object being to supply the towns and villages immediately surrounding Montreal, with water. Fourteen assistants are now working in his office in Montreal. Mr. Vanier has a continental reputation as an expert engineer, and the extensive works constructed by him, aggregate many millions of dollars. He is a Conservative in politics, but his numerous occupations prevent him from taking an active part in political matters. He was married in 1881, to Marie Olivine Pariseau. His family consists of two children.

THOMAS TRIVITT, J.P. and clerk of the 5th Division Court of Huron county, Exeter, Ont., was born September 2nd, 1813, at Langaller, Somerset County, England. Many centuries ago, his ancestors were among the great men of Europe, and have furnished commanders-in-chief of the army of France, Jurists and Lord Chancellors, of England, and learned historians, but for some hundred of years they have been quiet country gentlemen of Somerset. In 1848, Mr. Trivitt married, and the same year came to Upper Canada, settling upon the site of the present village of Centralia, which in 1868, was founded by him. He was the first clerk of Stephen township, holding that office for many years. When the 5th Division Court of the County was organized at Centralia, in 1852, Mr. Trivitt was appointed its clerk, and has so continued, going to Exeter when the Court was removed there. In 1857, he was commissioned as a Justice of the Peace. Inheriting an ample fortune, which has been added to, he has been in a position in a variety of ways, to gratify his benevolent disposition. The crowning work of his life, however, was the erection and endowment of the magnificent English Church at Exeter, "The Trivitt Memorial Church," costing over $30,000, and in subsequently donating a beautiful chime of bells, costing about $3,000. The church was consecrated by the Lord Bishop of Huron, on December 31st, 1888, while the chime of ten bells was inaugurated on the first Sunday in Advent, 1890. In addition to the above gifts, he proposes to build a new rectory house, a vestry and school-house, and at his death endow the church in the sum of $6,000. A notable event happened on the day of the consecration of the church; namely the burial of the esteemed wife of Mr. Trivitt, beneath the chancel of the church, in the building of which she had taken such a lively interest. It is to be devoutly desired that Mr. and Mrs. Trivitt's example, may be copied by many Canadians who have means at their disposal.

THE TRIVITT MEMORIAL CHURCH, EXETER, ONT.

SOUTH SIDE VIEW. ENTRANCE ON THE NORTH SIDE.

CHARLES McDOWELL, B. A., principal of the High School, Renfrew, Ontario, was born September 17th, 1850, in the township of West Gwillimbury, Simcoe county, Ont. His parents were Wildridge and Catherine (Sturgeon) McDowell, both natives of Ireland. Mr. McDowell received his early education in the public schools of Simcoe county, and the Grammar School of Bradford, Ontario. He then taught school for four years, and entered Queen's University, Kingston, in the Fall of 1873, and graduated in the Spring of 1877. In 1878, he was assistant head master in the Orangeville High School, and in January, 1879, he took charge of the Renfrew High School, which position he has held ever since, with credit to the institution. Many of his pupils are now holding important positions in the professions and business institutions throughout the country. In religion, Mr. McDowell is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and a C.D.H.C.D. of the I.O.F. In politics, he is an Independent. He was married, August 25th, 1880, to Miss Ida, daughter of John Smith, of Renfrew. His family consists of three children living, and one daughter deceased.

HORMISDAS LAPORTE, of the firm of Laporte, Martin & Co., wholesale grocers, 2548 Notre Dame St., Montreal, Que., was born November 7th, 1850, at Lachine, Que., and his parents removed to Sault-aux-Récollets the following year. He is the son of Jean-Baptiste Laporte and Marie Berthiaume dit Jubinville. The only education he received was at the village school, so he is a self-made made. In 1866, he came to Montreal to work in a nail factory, and at nights attended Moffatt's School. After four years of hard work, he was strongly inclined to commercial business, and in the Spring of 1870, he left wages of twelve dollars a week, to take a position as clerk in a retail grocery with a salary of ten dollars a month. Having a natural disposition for his new calling, he made rapid progress, and during the Fall of the same year, he started a grocery on his own account. In 1881, he sold out his retail business and started a wholesale grocery and provision establishment, which increased so rapidly, that in 1888, he called in as partners J. B. A. Martin and J. O. Boucher, and the firm has since erected the building they now occupy. In religion, Mr. Laporte is a Roman Catholic. He has been for years treasurer, president and warden of the congregation and the different charitable institutions of the parish of St. Joseph. He is past president of the Union St. Vincent, the president of the "Alliance Nationale," since its organization, and past treasurer and president of the "Association St. Jean-Baptiste." He is a member of the Board of Trade and of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce, and has been a director of the Mutual Fire Insurance Co., and since 1885, Justice of the Peace. He is also director of the National Mutual Building Association, and councillor of Dorionville, where he has his summer residence. He is a staunch Conservative. He was married, January 14th, 1874, to Mirza Onesime, daughter of Pierre Gervais. His family consists of two children living.

LEWIS HENRY DICKSON, barrister at law, solicitor, and notary public, Exeter, Ont., was born August 16th, 1860, in the village of Pakenham, Lanark county, Ont. His parents are James B. Dickson and Annie E. McAdam. His grandfather came to Canada from Antrim, Ireland, in 1826. His father was born in the village of Pakenham. The latter was successfully engaged in the business of lumbering for many years, and is now retired and living in Pembroke. His mother is the third daughter of the late Lieut.-Col. McAdam, who came to Canada from the county of Mayo, Ireland, in the year 1826, and who was well-known throughout the counties of Carleton, Renfrew and Lanark. Mr. Dickson was educated at Pembroke High School, and Kingston Collegiate Institute. He studied law with Thomas Deacon, Q.C., of Pembroke, and for a short time, with Hector Cameron, Q. C., Toronto. He began the practice of law in 1883, at Seaforth, removing to Exeter in 1884, and has since continued there. He enjoys the confidence of all classes of the community, not only in his undoubted ability as a professional man, but in his integrity as a man and a citizen. In religion, Mr. Dickson is an adherent of the Presbyterian Church. He is the W.M. in Orange Lodge, No. 924, also a member of the I.O.F., I.O.O.F., and of the Select Knights of Canada. He is also solicitor for the municipality of the village of Exeter, and captain of No. 6 Company of the 33rd Battalion of volunteers. In politics, he is a Conservative, and president of the Y. M. L. C. A. of Exeter, and takes an active part in the interest of that party, giving to it much of his time, but he does his own thinking on public questions, and is by no means a machine politician. On July 21st, 1868, he was married to Janet McDonell, fourth daughter of John McDonell, of Exeter, and grand daughter of the late lieutenant-colonel McDonell, of Metcalf. They have one daughter, Dolly Kathleen Dickson, born June 23rd, 1887.

REV. W. A. READ, Rector, Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, Pembroke, Ont., was born in Merrickville, February 10th, 1853. He is descended from U. E. Loyalist stock, although his ancestors have lived in the vicinity of Merrickville for more than one hundred years. His parents were William Case and Margaret (Mackenzie) Read. After passing through the public schools, Mr. Read attended the Kemptville High School, and subsequently Trinity College School, Port Hope, for three years; St. Augustine College, Canterbury, Eng., three years, graduating June 29th, 1878. The day following, he was made deacon by the Lord Bishop of Ontario, at Canterbury. After this, he returned to Canada, and was made curate at Kemptville, remaining two years. On the division of the parish in 1880, he became incumbent at Oxford Mills, having been priested June 29th, where he remained ten years, much to the pleasure and profit of his parishioners. He took charge at Pembroke, February 2nd, 1890. He is a member of, and chaplain to the I.O.O.F., and member of the A.O.U.W. He was married, November 21st, 1882, to Catherine Louisa, daughter of W. R. Wright, of the Civil Service, Ottawa.

THE LATE MYERS DAVISON, M.D., M.R.C.P.S., Florence, Ont., was born September 16th, 1839, in Newburg, Addington county. His parents were John M. and Jane (Swanzy) Davison. Dr. Davison graduated with honors at Queen's College, Kingston, practiced a few months in Dresden, Ont., and then located in Florence, where for over a quarter of a century he was the corner stone of the social fabric. "His genial and friendly spirit," says an intimate contemporary, "and his sound judgment, made him a leader." For years he was reeve of Euphemia, secretary-treasurer of his school board, and a prominent official in the Methodist Church. In politics he was a Conservative, and president of his county association, an able reasoner and an eloquent debater, he also wrote many articles on medicine and other subjects. He was a member of the Masonic Fraternity, and of the I.O.G.T. He died on February 10th, 1891, and hundreds mourned his death. In 1870, Dr. Davison married Miss Eleanor F. Williams, daughter of James Williams Esq., of Culloden, Ont. They have a family of four children, viz: Alberta Florence, who died in 1891, Dora G., Horace W., and John R.

JAMES TOLBERT PEPPER, pharmaceutical chemist, Brussels, Ont., was born February 10th, 1861, in the village of Carlisle, Wentworth county, Ont. His parents were William and Esther Catharine (Markle) Pepper, who were both born in Wentworth county. They had three sons only, the subject of this sketch being the eldest, the second William Wesley, and the third Edmond Mitchell. James Tolbert was educated in the common schools of his county and at the High School, Waterdown, Ont. He was apprenticed to the drug business, with Blackader & Mills, Brantford, Ont., in the year 1880, remaining there about two years, then went to Hamilton and completed his apprenticeship. In the year 1884, he entered the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto, graduating with honors the same year. He then became dispensing clerk in A. H. Joseph's drug store, Windsor, Ont. In 1885, he entered the employ of the firm of J. Winer & Co., wholesale druggists, Hamilton, Ont., as a manufacturing chemist. In 1889, he removed to Brussels, and engaged in the drug and stationery business on his own account, and has succeeded in developing a growing and successful business. He is the Brussels' agent for the Bell Telephone Company, and also ticket agent for the C. P. R. He is also examiner on materia medica at the Ontario College of Pharmacy, Toronto. He is a member of the Methodist Church, also trustee and secretary of the Trustee Board, a member of the Quarterly Board and teacher in the Sunday School. He is also an active member of the Masonic Fraternity, a member of the Scottish Rite, and a past master of St. John's Lodge, No. 284, G.R.C., A.F. and A.M. He is also a member of the I.O.F. and is court deputy high chief ranger of his court. In politics, Mr. Pepper is a Conservative, but takes no active part. He was married Sept. 2nd, 1885, to Miss Sada, third daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth Gordon, of Simcoe county, O. They have one son and one daughter.

FRANK SAMUEL TROUGHT SMITH, Petrolia, Ont., general manager of the *Petrolia Advertiser*, was born in Lincolnshire, England, April 30th, 1857. He is a son of Clitherow and Mary (Overton) Smith. He obtained his elementary education at a public school, and finished under private tutors. He was then articled to one of the principal appraisers and auctioneers in Leeds, Yorkshire, and at the early age of eighteen, became manager for Hutton & Sons, a prominent firm in the same town. He came to Canada in 1876, but returned to England in two years, at the urgent request of Hutton & Sons, who offered him a large salary to resume the management of their business. He returned to Canada in 1880, and again returned to England to enter partnership with his brother, T. O. Smith, at Bournemouth, as real estate and fine art auctioneers. Mr. Smith has made the fine arts a favorite study. His brother died in 1883, when he took Hugh Keene in his place. Having dissolved partnership in 1885, he took the management of the famous Grosvenor Art Gallery of Birmingham. In 1886, B. Grossbaum of Vienna, the well-known collector and exhibitor, recognizing his unusual ability as a fine art expert auctioneer, made him a brilliant offer, which was accepted, and he sold for him under the hammer, some of the finest collections of art porcelains and miniatures ever submitted to public competition. This included the noted Grossbaum collection exhibited at the last Paris Exhibition, which was removed to Brighton, England, catalogued and sold by Mr. Smith. Amongst his patrons were many of the aristocracy of the first rank from whom he received many complimentary autograph letters. He returned to Canada for permanent residence in 1890, since which time he has been business manager of the *Petrolia Advertiser*, the leading oil journal of Canada, established in 1865. In politics, he is a strong Conservative, and he is a member of the Church of England. Mr. Smith is a gentleman of marked personality.

ALEXANDER McVEAN, retired manufacturer, Dresden, Ont., was born at Weston, Ont., in 1829. His father was John McVean, whose great-grand-father, Alexander Macdonald, was an officer under "Bonnie Prince Charlie," his personal and intimate friend. His infant son, was to have been called Charles Stuart Macdonald, but the officer fell at Culloden, and the child was given his father's name, Alexander. The McVean's, who came from Scotland early in this century, were the first white settlers in the Gore of Toronto. Mr. McVean's father was a farmer, who died in 1859. The subject of our sketch received a public school education in Le Roy, N. Y., then learned the milling trade, which occupation he followed until 1875, chiefly at Yarker, Ont. In 1874, he and Hugh Currie, bought the Dresden Hub, Spoke and Bending Factory, and in 1877, Mr. McVean, became sole proprietor. In 1877, pressure of increasing business demanded all his time, and he gave the flouring mills to his son Sandy. In 1882, he started his sons John and James in the hardware business in Dresden, and in 1890, he handed over his factory to his sons, Osgood and William, and now, in his declining years, he is taking life easy and enjoys the fullest confidence and respect of his fellow men. In religion, Mr. McVean is a Presbyterian, a Conservative in politics, and a member of the A.F. and A.M. He was a warm and personal friend of the late Sir John A. Macdonald, and the late Sir Alex. Campbell. In 1851, he married Miss Sarah Hennery, daughter of James Hennery, Esq., of Kingston, Ont., formerly of Armagh, Ireland. His family consists of five sons and one daughter. The sons continue their several enterprises as above stated, and their splendid success is only what could be expected, from their early training. To do business with them, as with their father before them, is to become their friend. The McVean name is a synonym for fair dealing and integrity, their business extending from Newfoundland to British Columbia.

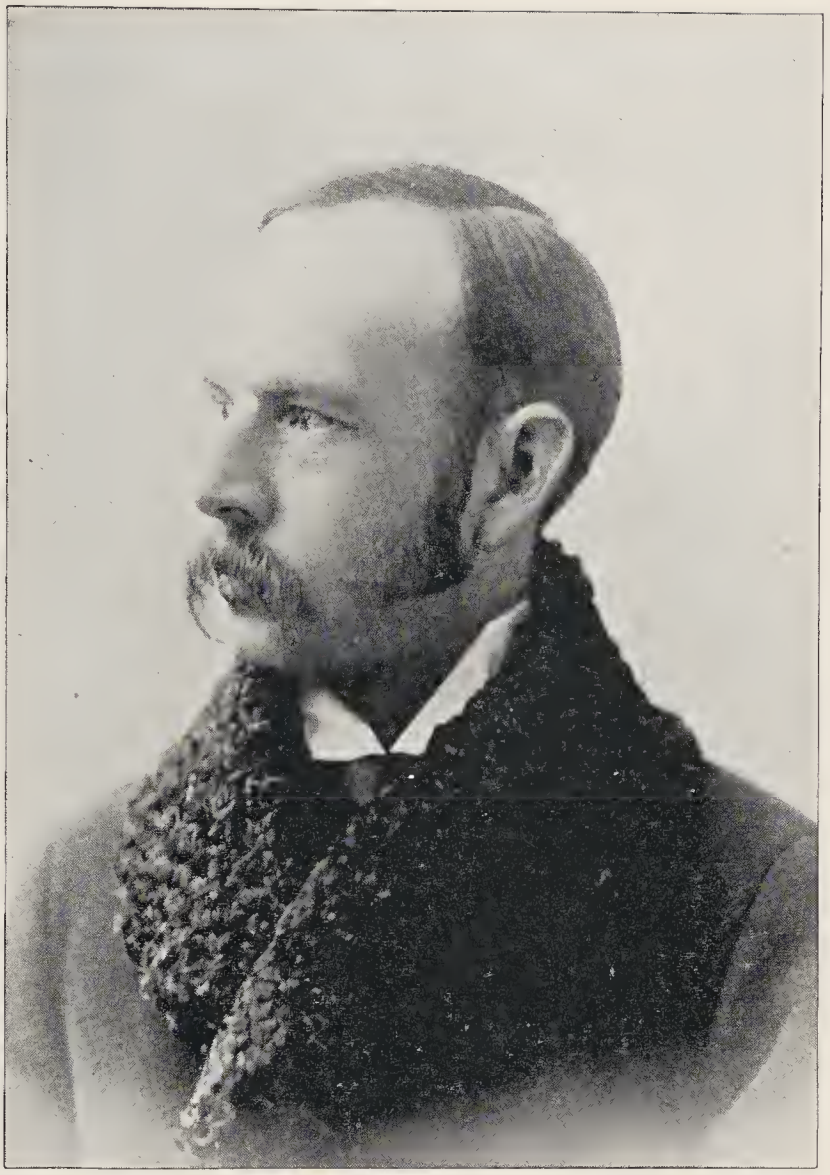
ANDREW DENHOLM, editor and proprietor of *The Blenheim News*, Blenheim, Ont., was born in London, December 30th, 1856. His father is a native of East Lothian, and his mother Jessie Campbell, came from Caithnesshire, Scotland. After a public school course, Mr. Denholm spent short terms at the London and Bay City, Mich., High schools, and subsequently entered the London *Advertiser* office, in 1873, where he remained seven years. After two seasons in the coal business, he purchased the Kincardine *Standard*, which he managed with success, and is still well remembered by his former patrons. In January, 1886, he started the Oxford *Standard* in Woodstock, in May it became a daily, the first established in Woodstock. This paper did much to advance the interests of the town, during its rapid growth. In 1888, he purchased the *News* in Blenheim, Kent county. For many years previous to its passing into the hands of Mr. Denholm, it had not succeeded, but his experience and energy at once made it prosperous and popular. Mr. Denholm is a thoroughly typical Canadian, possessed of talent, energy and business capacity. A liberal support is given to the *News* by the people of the town. He was president of the London Typographical Union, in 1879, was on the Kincardine School Board for 1883 to 1885, and is a member of the I.O.O.F. and R.T. of T. societies. He has been chief ranger in the C.O.F., and has also taken an active part in the work of his Church (Presbyterian), being manager of the church finances for many years. He is now an elder and was the lay representative of Chatham Presbytery, to the General Assembly in Montreal, in 1892. Mr. Denholm's sterling qualities have done much to elevate public sentiment. He was married, in 1879, to Miss Martha J. McCoy, whose parents were children of the early North of Ireland settlers in Simcoe county. She died in 1890, and our subject was again married in 1892, to Tena, third daughter of Alex. McDonald, Esq., of Stratford, Ont.

PETER ALFRED CROSSBY, manager of the Dominion Type Foundry, Montreal, Que., was born February 23rd, 1842, in that city. His parents were William Ewbank Crossby and Margaret (Fraser) Crossby. Mr. Crossby was educated at the French school of Beauharnois, and afterwards received an English education in Montreal, and subsequently learned the trade of a printer. He formerly belonged to the Roman Catholic Church, but in 1856, became a member of the Church of England. He is now an earnest Protestant, and has been warden of Trinity Church, Montreal, and is one of its liberal supporters. In politics, he is a Conservative. He is past master of Zetland Lodge, No. 12, A.F. and A.M.; past deputy grand master and grand representative of the Grand Lodge of the Indian territory; past noble grand of Mizpah Lodge, I.O.O.F. and past deputy grand master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec, I.O.O.F. He is vice-president of the International Typographical Union, and secretary-treasurer of the Lorne Fish and Game Club. On June 20th, 1883, he was married to Winnie Carruthers, who died January 7th, 1888. Mr. Crossby has one daughter.

DR. O. FORTIN, veterinary surgeon, Montreal, Quebec, was born at St. Urbain Premier, county of Chateauguay, Quebec, May 21st, 1862. His parents are Odilon and Eulalie (Goyette) Fortin, of St. Constant, county of Laprairie. When six years of age, he came to Montreal with his parents, who have resided there ever since. He was educated at a commercial academy, and subsequently at the Jacques-Cartier Normal School, from which he took his diploma in 1882. He then studied pharmacy, after which he entered the Montreal Veterinary College, graduating with first prize in pathology in 1885. He immediately began to practice in Montreal, where he has been signally successful. In 1889, he was appointed by the Government of Quebec, an examiner for the exhibitions for the county of Laprairie and the division of Montarville. Dr. Fortin was one of the first professors of the "Ecole Vétérinaire Française," in connection with Laval University, occupying the chair of Descriptive Anatomy and Obstatrica. He is a member of the Montreal Veterinary Association, and of other societies. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a Liberal.

GUILLAUME NARCISSE DUCHARME, Montreal, Que., was born in Chateauguay, Quebec, January 3rd, 1851. He obtained his education at the common schools, the Montreal College, and the St. Henry English School. He spent about sixteen years in mercantile business, and in 1878, was appointed secretary-treasurer of the School Commissioners of Ste. Cunégonde. In 1882, he became its postmaster, and in 1884, its clerk and treasurer. He is a Justice of the Peace, manager of La Banque Jacques-Cartier branch ; vice-president of the Standard Light and Power Co., and is a director, both in the Auer Light Co., and the Citizens' Light and Power Co. He declined the nomination for the county of Hochelaga in 1892, to contest the seat in the interests of the Conservative party, made vacant by the promotion of Hon. Alphonse Desjardins, to the Senate. His name is mentioned in connection with the next election, as he is considered the strongest man in the division. Mr. Ducharme is the owner of considerable property. He was married, July 6th, 1880, to Miss Maria Delia, daughter of Leon Rivet, engineer, Montreal. Of this marriage there are five children living.

LOUIS H. BOISSEAU, of the firm of Boisseau Bros., dry goods merchants, No. 237 St. Lawrence Street, Montreal, Que., was born September 28th, 1854, at St. Césaire, county of Rouville, P.Q. His father was Joseph Boisseau, a miller of St. Césaire, who died when our subject was thirteen years of age, and his mother was Marceline Mayotte. The first of the Boisseau family was Pierre Boisseau, born at Verchères, P.Q., in 1646, and was the seigneur de Bellevue. Mr. Boisseau received his education at St. Césaire College, and then engaged as clerk in a dry goods store at Batavia, N.Y. He came to Montreal in 1874, and started business for himself on St. Lawrence street, where he is now the principal dry goods merchant. He is one of the founders of the French "Chambre de Commerce," was an executive officer of the St. Jean-Baptiste Society, and was an alderman for the St. Louis Ward of Montreal, from 1887 to 1893. In 1890, he was chosen by the Liberal party to represent St. Louis county in Parliament, but refused. In religion he is a Roman Catholic. He was married January 8th, 1888, to Miss Dufort. His family consists of one son and two daughters.



JOHN EARLE JENNER, M.D., C.M., L.R.C.P., Kingsville, Ont., was born in Kent county, Ont., March 18th, 1857, and is a lineal descendent of the illustrious Dr. Edward Jenner, who discovered vaccination. His parents, John and Hannah (Russell) Jenner, were born in Kent county, England. He received his education at the public school and the High School, Chatham, where he qualified for a teacher. After teaching four years, he entered the office of doctors Holmes & McKeough, Chatham. At the first year's examination, he took first-class honors, securing the college scholarship of fifty dollars. At the primary examination the following year, he divided the scholarship with a fellow student, and at the final examination, carried off the college gold medal. He determined to take a post graduate course in London, Eng., where he went in 1883. He secured a clinical clerkship at the London Hospital, under Sir Andrew Clarke and Dr. Samuel Fenwick, and the same year passed with honors the examination for the triple qualification of the Royal College of Physicians of London, Eng. In 1884, he returned to Canada, where he secured situations as a locumtenens for nearly a year. He then accepted an appointment on the resident staff of the Toronto General Hospital, but resigned it in order to take charge of Dr. J. M. Platt's (M.P.) practice in Picton, which resulted in a partnership which lasted over three years. While in Picton, he was Medical Health Officer for the town. After a short stay at Peterboro, he went to Kingsville, and entered into partnership with Dr. King, after which Dr. Jenner established his present practice. In politics he is a Liberal, and vice-president of the Reform Association, Kingsville. He is an official member of the Methodist Church, a member of the trustee board, and belongs to the A.O.U.W. and I.O.F. On June 1st, 1887, he married Ella Eugenia Taylor, daughter of the late Thos. Hume Taylor, of Chatham. They have one child.

PHILIPPE HONORÉ ROY, advocate, Montreal, Que., was born July 30th, 1847, at St. George of Henryville. His father was Edward Roy and his mother Esther Lamoureux. He received his classical education at the Seminary of Ste. Marie de Monnoir, in the county of Rouville, having previously attended the common school. He took a course of law at Victoria University, in Montreal, and studied at the same time in the office of Judge Jetté, beginning his law studies in 1868, and being admitted to the Bar in 1871. He received the degree of LL.B. After being admitted, he formed a partnership with A. E. Forget. In 1875 this partnership was dissolved, Mr. Forget leaving it to accept the clerkship of the Council of the North West Territories, by the Mackenzie government. Mr. Roy then entered into partnership with F. G. Boutillier, ex-M.P.P. for the county of Rouville. This continued until 1887. He is now practicing in partnership with his brother, C. S. Roy. He has been secretary of the Bar, and for a long time was a member of the Board of Examiners for admission to the study and practice of law; he has also been a member of the Council of the Bar for the section of Montreal and acted as syndic. He was a member of the General Council of the Bar of Lower Canada, of the Province of Quebec, and a delegate of a section of the district of Montreal. He has been president of the Bank of St. Johns, P. Q., since its foundation in 1873. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics a staunch Liberal, and was an ardent supporter of the Mackenzie administration. He was also, once, a candidate for the Legislative Assembly of Quebec, but was defeated after a gallant fight. He was married in 1878 to Miss Anglare Malleur, only daughter of L. Malleur, for many years M.P. in the county of Iberville. His family consists of one son and one daughter. Mr. Roy has been very successful in the practice of law, and has been to Europe several times on law business in the interests of his clients.

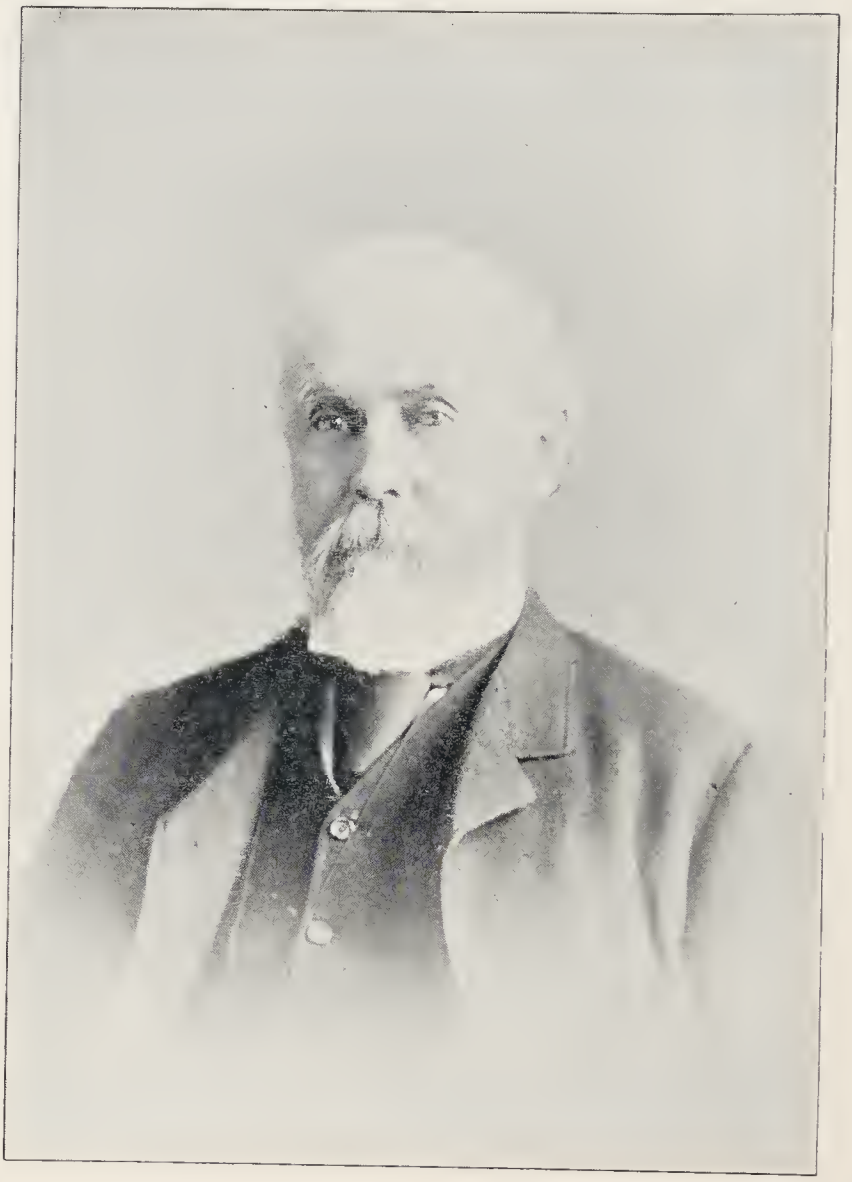
WILLIAM WALKER, of the firm of Walker, Harper & Co., millers and grain merchants, Norwich, Ont., was born in Port Perry, Ont., June 19th, 1848. His parents are Edward and Ellen (Ashton) Walker, the former is a prominent farmer near Port Perry. Mr. Walker, received his education at the public schools, and in early life began the study of law, which he shortly afterwards abandoned in favor of banking, at which he remained seven years, and then opened a commission house, buying coal and grain, and in October, 1888, began his present business. The trade of Walker, Harper & Co., is principally wholesale, and they are largely engaged in exporting flour and grain. Their chief foreign markets are: Liverpool, London, Glasgow, and they also do a very large trade in the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Walker, is, in religion, a Presbyterian, and takes an active interest in church work. In politics, he has been a Reformer all his days. He has been married twice, first to Miss Sarah P., only daughter of the late Dr. E. Cook, of Norwich, Ont., on June 20th, 1875, and second on February 15th, 1881, to Miss Hannah Cornelia, second daughter of the late G. W. Harper, of London, O.

SILAS H. CARPENTER, Provincial Detective, Montreal, Q., was born in the county of Argenteuil, P.Q., on the 29th of January, 1854. His father's name is Thomas W. Carpenter, and his mother's, Margery Sweeney, who are highly respected people. He was educated in the common schools of the county of Argenteuil and the city of Ottawa. Spending his early life in various occupations, he joined the Montreal Police Force, in February, 1880, and so distinguished himself that he was promoted sergeant in July, 1882, and in June, 1886, was further promoted to the detective force. He was connected with the detective force of the city of Montreal, for over five years, and displayed rare qualities in that position. In December, 1891, he resigned from the city detective force, having been appointed a detective for the Provincial Government of the Province of Quebec, and at the same time formed a partnership with Mr. Grose in the Canadian Secret Service. Mr. Carpenter takes no active part in politics, and belongs to no party, simply voting for the best man. In religion, Mr. Carpenter is a member of the Methodist Church, and is married.

W. J. WARD, banker, Brigden, Ont., was born January 1st, 1850, in Valcartier, Que. His early education was received at Rev. Parkin's school, afterwards in the public school, finally graduating at the Strathroy Grammar School, with high honors, in 1868, and immediately after, taking a first-class certificate. He taught school four years, the latter three in the school where he formerly was a pupil. Immediately after a commercial college course, he entered a private bank as clerk; a year later, he was promoted manager, which position he held for eleven years, the latter part of which he was unfortunately associated in the business, which resulted in complications and financial trouble. This trouble, however, he happily surmounted, and bought out the Brigden banking business in 1885, and by close personal application and experience, he has built it up to its present prominent dimensions. In 1877, he was appointed a commissioner in the H. C. J., and in 1888, made a notary public. He has been a director and treasurer of the Brigden Agricultural Grounds Co. for the past five years, and municipal treasurer in Arkona and Hamburg for six years. He is a P. M., and active member of the Masonic order, a past grand and member in good standing of the I.O.O.F. for over twenty years. His father, the late John Ward of Quebec, was clerk and treasurer of Valcartier Parish for many years, up to the time of his removal to Metcalf, Middlesex county, in 1863, a man of sterling qualities, an active church worker, and an official up to the time of his death. His widow, an estimable and kind hearted lady, resides on the old homestead with a son and daughter. The wife of the subject of our sketch is May, youngest daughter of A. Goetz, magistrate, notary public and commissioner in H. C. J. of Sebringville, Perth county, and one of the most prominent citizens of that place. An active politician, church and choir worker, and an old municipal officer. Mr. Ward's family consists of two sons, Berton E. and A. Lansdowne.

THE HON. WILLIAM BULLOCK IVES, Q.C., M.P., president of the Privy Council of Canada, Sherbrooke, Que., was born in Compton, Que., November 17th, 1841. His parents Eli and Artemissa (Bullock) Ives, were of English descent, and came to this country from Connecticut, U. S., with the U. E. Loyalists. Mr. Ives began his education in a common school near his birthplace, and afterwards attended the Compton Academy for some four or five years. He subsequently continued his studies privately, and later on prosecuted the study of law, and was admitted to the Bar in 1867. From 1867 to 1878, he practiced in Sherbrooke, and was, during that time, created a Q.C. He has had the honor to be mayor of Sherbrooke and also member for Richmond and Wolfe, redeeming the county from the Liberals against Henry Aylmer. In 1882 he was re-elected by acclamation, and in 1887, he had a successful contest with J. N. Greenshields, of Montreal, and in 1891 was elected for Sherbrooke. In 1879 Mr. Ives became interested in manufacturing. Amongst other enterprises, he is interested in the Paton Mills of Sherbrooke, president of the Salmon River Pulp Company at Scotstown, Que., and equal partner with Mr. R. H. Pope in the Scotstown Lumber Company, the Cookshire Lumber Company, president of the Royal Pulp and Paper Company, of East Angus, director of the Dominion Lime Company., and interested in the Sherbrooke Gas and Water Company. Mr. Ives built the Hereford Railway, now operated by the Maine Central Railway. His political opinions are and always have been received with the greatest respect both by his party and by the public in general; in business he has been signally successful, and it is considered a garantee of success to have his name connected with any business enterprise. He was married, November 17th, 1869, to Elizabeth, daughter of the late Hon. John Henry Pope. Mr. Ives entered Sir John Thompson's Cabinet in December, 1892.

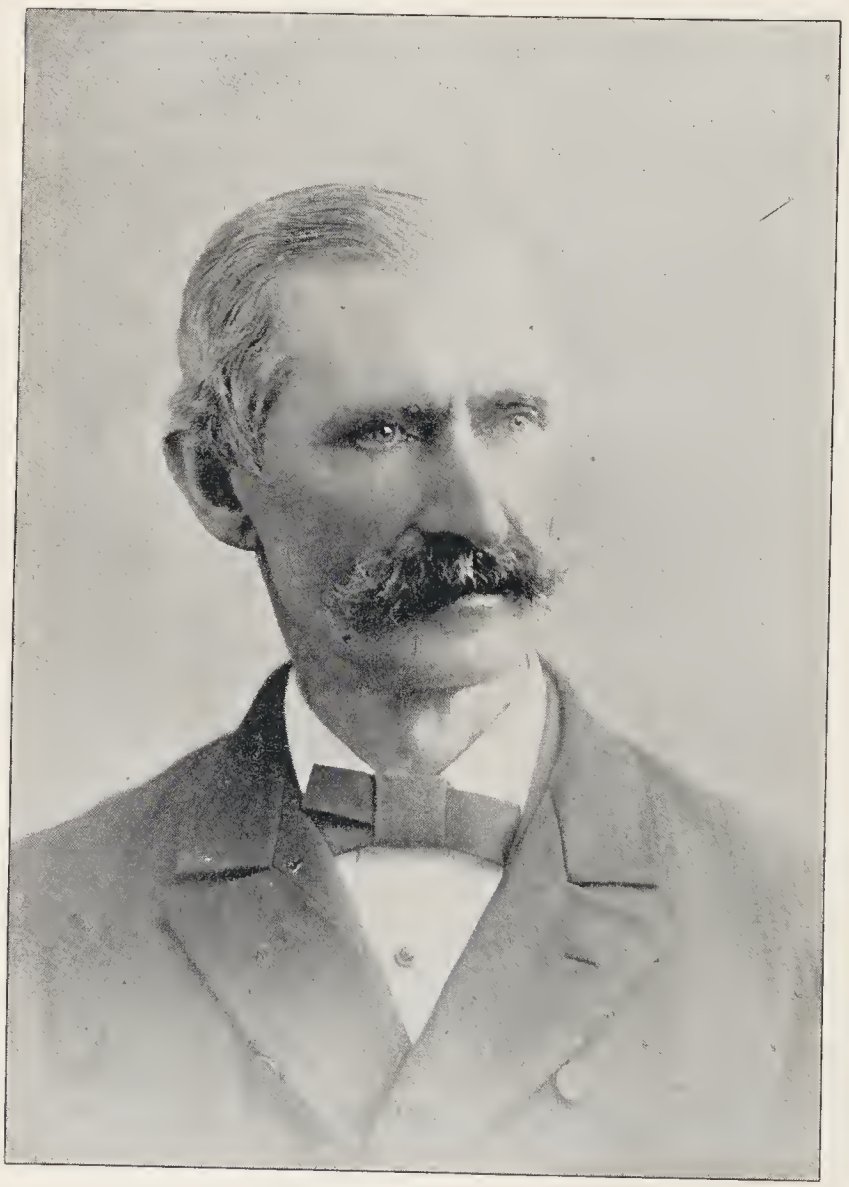
MANSON CAMPBELL, manufacturer of fanning mills, Chatham, Ont., was born March 25th, 1856, at Port Perry, Ont. His parents were William and Sarah (Comestock) Campbell. His father was at first a lumberman in Eastern Ontario, but in 1866, removed to Chatham, and began the manufacture of fanning mills. Mr. Campbell received a good public and high school education, and at the age of seventeen, entered his father's business, to which he has since given his careful attention. The enterprise has grown to gigantic proportions, the output being now (1892) about 5,000 mills annually. The Campbell fanning mill is favorably known from the Atlantic to the Pacific coasts, and has also found its way into the continent of Europe. In religion, Mr. Campbell is a Presbyterian, and a member of the Board of Management. He is also a member of the Select Knights and A. O.U.W. and was master workman in the latter. He has also been a member of the Chatham Town Council for the past three years. In politics, he is a Conservative. He was married, March 12th, 1884, to Miss Flora McNaughton, daughter of the late Duncan McNaughton, of Harwich.



ANDREW ALLAN, brother of Sir Hugh Allan, and the fifth of the six sons of the late Captain A. Allan, was born at Saltcoats, Ayrshire, Scotland, December 1st, 1822. On completing his education, he came to Montreal, and entered into business in the firms with which his elder brother was connected. He is one of the principal partners of the great steamship company of H. & A. Allan, and to him is due a large share of the credit for the development of the ocean carrying trade of the Dominion. Up to the year 1840, about a dozen small sailing vessels were sufficient for the ocean trade of the country, but now the Allan Company alone possesses thirty-six first-class steamers, with a total tonnage of 106,000 tons. Mr. Allan is one of the most popular men in Montreal business circles, and bears a large share of its honors. He is president or vice-president of many of the leading business institutions of that city, a member of the Board of Harbor Commissioners, and is ever ready to lend his time and means for the development of Montreal as well, as of the Dominion. In 1848, Mr. Allan married a daughter of the late John Smith, of Montreal. His family consists of eight children.

WILLIAM WALLIS HAY, M.D., Wallaceburg, Ont., was born March 23rd, 1864, at Pine Grove, York county, Ont. His father is the Rev. Robert Hay, Congregational Minister, Watford, Ont., formerly of Pine Grove. He is of Scotch descent and very highly esteemed, a scholarly man and forcible speaker, whose temperance and Reform principles are well known. His wife, Annie Juliet (Wallis) Hay, a native of Southampton, Eng., is an estimable lady, beloved by all and greatly devoted to her family. Their eldest son's portrait appears on this page, their second son is Dr. Ralph F. Hay, C. P. R. surgeon, Banff, N.W.T., their third son is R. Vaughan Hay, now of Toronto, and gold medalist in 1891, at the Ontario College of Pharmacy, and there are several younger members in the family. Dr. Hay was educated at Toronto Collegiate Institute and at Trinity Medical College, Toronto, graduating in 1886. During the latter part of his college course, he was clinical clerk to Dr. Strange. Dr. Hay practiced his profession for about two years in Dundalk, Ont., and then removed to Wallaceburg, in 1889. His practice which has been very successful, is steadily and satisfactorily increasing. In religion, Dr. Hay is a Presbyterian and a member of the General Board of Management of the church in Wallaceburg. He also belongs to the Knights of Pythias and the C. O. F., of whose lodge he is Court Physician. In politics, he is a staunch Reformer, and gives expression to his political faith on all proper occasions. On October 5th, 1892, Dr. Hay was married to one of Wallaceburg's social favorites, Miss Gretna Belle Steinhoff, daughter of the late Capt. Andrew Steinhoff, who was one of the most prominent and active business men of Wallaceburg. His wife Mrs. Dr. Hay's mother, whose maiden name was Macdonell, is a lady of beautiful character and held in universal esteem. Dr. Hay is professionally and socially very popular and much esteemed, and is considered one of the rising men of the town of his adoption.

ANDREW CULLIN, Chief Detective, Montreal, Que., was born near Corofin, county Clare, Ireland, September 3rd, 1836. He is the son of Michael and Mary Guthri Cullin. His education was begun and completed in the primary schools in Ireland. When he was thirteen years of age his father died, leaving very little for the support of the family, and he was then obliged to work on the farm until he was nineteen years of age, when he joined the Royal Irish Constabulary, in which he remained for some time. Owing to his superior conduct and attention to duty, he received testimonials from his superior officers and left the force with an excellent character. At the age of twenty-three, he went to the United States and worked on a farm in Massachusetts. He was at this time extremely attached to the temperance cause, and is still temperate in all his habits, to which his success is largely due. In 1855, he went to Munson, in the State of Massachusetts, and after a short sojourn there, left with the intention of going to the Southern States, and in doing so, came by way of Montreal, where he stopped to visit his brother, who persuaded him to remain in that city and join the police force, which he did. He was appointed to look after the Sunday Liquor Law, and was the first to put it in force in the city. He called upon the saloons to obey the law, had a good many of them fined, and called the attention of the Government to the number of unlicensed places in Montreal, and a law was passed that the Recorder of the city could use his jurisdiction in having those cases tried before him, when formerly they were tried by the Police Magistrate. In 1865, he was appointed detective, and in 1881 chief detective. He has had under his direction the celebrated murder case of Honorable Thomas Darcy McGee. There is probably no man in the Dominion of Canada to-day better adapted to this particular profession than is this widely known Montreal detective. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic.



JAS. WATSON WYLIE, junior member of the firm of James H. Wylie & Co., roller millers, Almonte, Ont., was born in Almonte, Ont., March 10th, 1861. His parents were James H. and Rebecca Wylie. Our subject is of Scottish descent, though his father was born at Perth, and his mother at Kilmarnock, Ontario. Mr. Wylie was educated in the public schools, after which he entered Upper Canada College, Toronto, from which he graduated in 1879. After working about two years at the manufacturing of woolen goods, he became bookkeeper for the firm of Jas. H. Wylie & Son, of which the senior member was his father and the junior member his brother, and in 1888, he became a member of the firm. This mill was changed to a 75 barrel roller mill in 1886, and is now thoroughly fitted with the most improved machinery. In religion, Mr. Wylie is a Presbyterian, being one of the managers of St. Andrew's Church, Almonte, and in sympathy with everything calculated to promote the cause of morality. In politics he is a Reformer. He was married, June 20th, 1886, to Miss Alexandra H., daughter of the late Judge Logie, of Hamilton, Ont., by whom he has one son.

JOSEPH C. ROBERT, lumber merchant and manufacturer, Montreal, Que., was born in that city, April 28th, 1855. His parents were Joseph and Olympe (Berlinguett) Robert. Mr. Robert received his education at the St. Laurent College, obtaining the diploma of that institution at the age of seventeen. He has conducted an extensive lumber business for many years. For sixteen years, he belonged to the militia, holding rank as adjutant, captain and major in the 65th Battalion. He was engaged in the North West campaign, having charge of the second detachment of No. 4 Company, from Calgary to Edmonton. He also served as a private in the Victoria Rifles, and in the Montreal Cavalry. Mr. Robert has also enjoyed municipal honors, having been elected alderman in 1888. While in the City Council, he was a member of the Road and the Fire committees. He is a liberal in politics, and in the year 1892, was unanimously nominated to contest the election in Jacques-Cartier county. In religion, he is a Catholic; he is also a member of various boards and societies. In 1878, he was married to Miss G., daughter of F. X. Roy, carriage manufacturer, Montreal. He has four children.

REV. WM. LEECH RUTLEDGE, B.A., Pastor of Brant Avenue Methodist Church, Brantford, Ont., was born in Sligo, Ireland, November 1st, 1850. His parents were William and Eliza (Leech) Rutledge. His father dying in 1854, he came to this country with his mother in the year following, and settled near Toronto. Mr. Rutledge was educated at the Hamilton public schools, the old Toronto Grammar School, McGill College and the Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal. He subsequently took the degree of B.A. at Victoria University, Cobourg, and entered the ministry at the age of nineteen. He has practically grown up in the Methodist Church, having joined that body when twelve years of age. After spending three years in mission work, he was ordained at Peterboro, and was appointed to Yonge Street Church, Toronto, as his first pastoral charge. At the end of three years, he removed to Dundas Street Church, Toronto, where he served another full pastoral term. From Toronto, he was called to Zion Church, Winnipeg, from which place, after a full term, he removed to Portage la Prairie, of which district he was chairman. His next appointment was Grace Church, Winnipeg, the leading Methodist Church of Manitoba, and while there he was chairman of the Winnipeg district and president of the Manitoba Conference. From Winnipeg, he was invited to Division Street Church, Cobourg, and thence to his present charge at Brantford. Mr. Rutledge is thoroughly evangelistic in his preaching, and possessed of a sympathetic nature, finds a ready access to the hearts of his hearers. He has a happy way of presenting truth and always endears himself to his people by his genial and affectionate manner. He has remarkable adaptation for presenting the plan of redemption to enquirers, and rarely fails to reach the heart and conscience. He is a member of the I.O.O.F., and active in all temperance reform. In 1878, he married Miss Annie Lister, daughter of Joseph Lister, of Hamilton.

HARVEY MORRIS, manufacturer, Wallaceburg, Ont., was born in 1844, in Carlow county, Ireland. His father is Dr. Wm. Morris, M.R.C.S., Ireland, who came to Canada in 1849 and practiced near Toronto for five years, in Florence, Ont., twenty years; after which he removed to Michigan, U.S., where he still practices. His wife, Henrietta (King) Morris, who died eight years ago, was the daughter of Major King of the British Army. Her brother, Capt. King, took part in the repulse of the Fenians at Fort Erie in 1866. Mr. Harvey Morris, after an ordinary public school education, clerked for four years in Fort Erie, after which he farmed six years near Florence. After a term as foreman for Mr. Johnson, the lumberman, he located, in 1872, in Wallaceburg, and became virtually the pioneer of the cooperage business there. From an annual business of $10,000, it has now reached a volume of $100,000 a year. His shipments, which range from fifteen to twenty million pieces a year, go to almost every quarter of the globe. In religion, Mr. Morris is an Episcopalian, a church warden and Sunday school superintendent for many years. He was W.M. of the Dresden Lodge of the A.F. & A.M. for years; organized the Wallaceburg Lodge, and has been its W.M. much of the time since. When only nineteen years of age, he obtained at the London Military School, a captain's certificate, a grade he held for five years, 1863 to 1868. In politics, Mr. Morris is a staunch Conservative, and has more than once been pressed to accept the candidature for Parliamentary honors. In 1870, he married Miss Mary Wallen, eldest daughter of the late Dr. Wallen, M.R.C.S., Eng., of Chatham, Ont. Dr. Wallen was born in Jamaica, of Scottish parentage, and came to Canada in 1833. In 1842, he married Miss Mary Teeple, of Glanford, who died in 1843, leaving an only daughter, now Mrs. Morris; by a second marriage, he had three children. The four children are Ella, Harvey, Wallen and Jarvis.

HARRY SUMNER MARTIN, M.D., was born in Guelph, Ont., in 1856. His parents came from England to Canada thirty-six years ago, and settled in Guelph, but afterwards removed to West Garafraxa. Dr. Martin received his early education in the public schools, Fergus and Mount Forest High Schools and Ottawa Normal School. He then taught school for five years and matriculated in medicine, in 1880. He pursued his medical studies in Toronto School of Medicine. After taking his degrees from Victoria University and license from the College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1884, he was appointed House Surgeon to the Toronto General Hospital. He secured a position as surgeon on the C. P. R. for a time, but finally located in Erin, where he has obtained a large and comfortable practice. In religion, he is a Presbyterian, and in politics, an active Liberal. He is an energetic member of the Municipal Council, also member of the A.O.U.W., S.K. of Canada, I.O.O.F., C.O.H.C., C.O.F., C.O.C.F. and S.O.E. societies, for all of which he has been appointed physician or surgeon. He was married, in 1886, to a daughter of the late Dr. Brown, of Detroit, formerly of Paris, O.

REV. SAMUEL JOHN FARMER, B.A., pastor of the First Baptist Church, Pembroke, Ont., was born at Perth, Ont., December 18th, 1864. His father, Thomas Farmer, was of Welsh descent, and his mother was born in Ireland. Mr. Farmer was educated in the public school and Collegiate Institute of Perth, after which he taught school for three years, graduating from Woodstock College in 1884, and graduating in classics from Toronto University in 1888. He located in Pembroke to assist the Rev. John Millard in 1888, and in October of the same year, became pastor of that church. He was ordained, December 1st, 1891, at Pembroke, the moderator of the council being Rev. T. Fothergill. The four years spent on his present charge have been full of pleasure to his parishioners, and profitable to all departments of his church work. Mr. Farmer is a brother of J. H. Farmer, B.A., who is a professor of New Testament Greek in McMaster University, Toronto. He is in politics a Reformer, and while a man of pronounced political views, he is not in any sense a partisan. He was married, April 14th, 1890, to Miss Sadie, daughter of Wm. McCurdy, of Hazeldean, Ont.

FRS. DESALLES PREVOST, physician and surgeon, Montreal, Q., was born November 1st, 1868, at Terrebonne, county of Terrebonne, Province of Quebec. His father's name was Frs. De Salles Prevost, while his mother's name was Marie Louise Watier. His father was a notary for many years in Terrebonne. Dr. Prevost received his education at St. Mary's Jesuit College, Montreal, and Victoria Medical School. He attended the former from 1878 until 1886, and received his professional education at the latter, from 1886 to 1891, in which year he graduated. Dr. Prevost was an apt student, standing well in his classes, and gave promise of future success. After graduation, he went to Paris, France, and took a post graduate course in medicine at the University of Paris. He also attended the hospitals of that great city and the other hospitals of Europe. Returning to Canada, he commenced the practice of his profession in 1892 in Montreal, where he is building up a large and profitable connection. Dr. Prevost is also the proprietor of a pharmacy, at the corner of St. Denis and Craig streets. In religion, he is a Roman Catholic, and in politics, a staunch Liberal.

THOMAS LIGGET, carpet merchant, Montreal, was born at Ormstown, Que., August 24th, 1843. His parents came to Canada in early life, from the North of Ireland, and located at Ormstown. His father, John Ligget, was a prosperous farmer, and enjoyed a long life. Mr. Ligget received his early education in the schools of his native place and his commercial training in a general store, and at the age of twenty-one, commenced his dry goods career with the well known house of Henry Morgan & Co. In 1867, he formed a partnership with Mr. Henry Hamilton, as dry goods merchants, under the firm name of Ligget & Hamilton, which was continued until 1888. The firm was then dissolved and the carpet and furnishing part of the business assumed by Mr. Ligget, and developed to its present magnitude. It is universally admitted that his carpet premises are the finest in Canada, and that he possesses clear and active business qualities which enable him to keep apace with the times. Mr. Ligget is a Protestant, belonging to the Church of England, and in politics is a Liberal. He is a well known merchant and a highly respected man.

R. BEULLAC, Montreal, Que., was born in France in 1844, coming to Canada in 1874. He settled in Montreal and established a house, dealing in church ornaments. From small beginnings this house has developed, until to-day, it is the leading concern of its kind in the Dominion. Mr. Beullac is endowed with artistic qualities, an exquisite taste, and extensive archaeological knowledge, and he has given to this art, the very best ability which he possesses. For some years past, he has been engaged in decorations for public and religious festivals, and there are few celebrations in the Province of Quebec, where he has not been called upon to display his artistic taste in the arrangement of the drapery and for their embellishment by his decorations. For many years, Montreal was without an historical gallery representing the glorious episodes of the history of Canada, but this lack Mr. Beullac has supplied by founding the Musée Lasalle, an institution which is very largely patronized. He is the president of the Club de France, and is a member of the Geographical Society of Paris, and a corresponding member of the Artistic Club of Montpellier, also of the "Société des Langues Provençales."

ARTHUR DANSEREAU, Postmaster, Montreal, Que., was born at Contrecœur, July 5th, 1844. He was sent to L'Assomption College, where he passed a brilliant career, and was contemporary with the Hon. Wilfrid Laurier. He arrived in Montreal, September 1862, and presented himself to Sir George Cartier, a friend of his father, and asked him for advice as to his future. Being advised to be a student with Mr. Girouard, he entered that gentleman's office, and for three years studied law. He afterwards entered McGill College, and received his B. C. L., and was admitted to the Bar in 1865. He subsequently abandoned his profession in favor of literature, and entered the office of *La Minerve*, which he edited for thirteen years. In 1870, he became one of its proprietors, and retired in 1880. Since 1862, Mr. Dansereau employed himself in literature and other congenial occupations, and on February 1st, 1892, was appointed postmaster of Montreal. During the short time he has been in office, he has proved himself a courteous and capable head of this important department, the whole internal economy of the Post Office having greatly improved under his able management.

HON. LOUIS TELLIER, Judge of the Superior Court of the Province of Quebec, St. Hyacinthe, Que., was born December 24th, 1844, at Berthier-en-Haut, Que. His parents were Zéphirin and Luce (Ferland) Tellier. The family came from France in 1789. Judge Tellier completed his classical education at Joliette College, Joliette, Que. He commenced the study of law with Hon. M. Baby, Joliette, and finished with Hon. H. W. Chagnon, in St. Hyacinthe. He was called to the Bar at Montreal, October 16th, 1866, and has practiced at St. Hyacinthe since 1873. He was appointed a Q. C., January 23rd, 1882. He was Deputy Prothonotary of the Superior Court, and Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court for the district, from 1863 to 1873, and Crown Attorney for the same, from 1873 to 1878. He was elected to the House of Commons, September, 1878, but was defeated in 1882. On November 12th, 1887, he was appointed to his present position as judge. He is one of the administrators of Laval University, Montreal. Judge Tellier has one of the best law libraries in the district of St. Hyacinthe. He was married first, May 26th, 1868, to Miss Hermine, second daughter of the late Dr. Adolphe Malhiot, who died February 7th, 1878, leaving one son Louis, who is engaged in the establishment of G. P. Landry of Montreal. He was married again, July 18th, 1882, to Miss Elzire, daughter of J. A. Hamel, collector of Customs, St. Hyacinthe, by whom he has one son and three daughters. In religion the Judge is a Roman Catholic. Judge Tellier presides on the bench with dignity and renders his decisions with impartiality, and his rulings are respected, as well by the public as the Bar. He has filled the various responsible positions to which he has been appointed, with signal satisfaction. He was a Conservative in politics, but wisely refrains from allowing his political views to influence his judicial decisions. In private life, his kindly disposition has brought around him a wide circle of friends, and he is respected by all.

JAMES VINCENT CLEARY, D.D., Archbishop of Kingston, Ont., was born in Dungarvan, Waterford county, Ireland, September 18th, 1828. At the age of fifteen years, having completed the curriculum in the English, Latin and Greek languages, and literature, mathematics, etc., in a select school in his native town, he was sent by his parents, Thomas and Margaret Cleary, to Rome for his ecclesiastical education. Two years later, he was transferred by his bishop to the Royal College at Maynooth, Ireland, where he passed five years in pursuit of the various sciences pertaining to high clerical education, carrying off the highest prizes of the college. In 1851, he was ordained priest, and immediately proceeded to the famous University of Salamanca, in Spain, for the further storing of his mind with professional knowledge. In 1854, he was appointed to the chair of dogmatic theology and Scriptural exegesis in St. John's College, Waterford, Ireland. At the request of the bishops of Ireland in 1862, he made a public thesis, or three days' open "welcome all opponents" defence of a series of printed proposi-

tions, embracing all the distinctive truths of the Christian revelation, before the Irish Hierarchy, the Senate of the Roman Catholic University of Ireland, and the learned representatives of all the colleges in the country, and at its conclusion was presented with the diploma of Doctor of Divinity, and solemnly invested with the insignia of the doctorate. In 1873, he became president of St. John's College, Waterford, and two years later, was selected to be consulting theologian to his Bishop in the great National Synod held in Maynooth College. In 1876, he was promoted to the living of Dungarvan, his native parish, and in 1888, was appointed by the Holy See to be Bishop of Kingston, in Ontario, Canada. He had no voice or option in this matter. Twice he remonstrated with the church authorities, but the sole reply he received, was a peremptory order to renounce his Irish benefice, and take charge of Kingston diocese. Straightway he proceeded to Rome, where he received Episcopal consecration on November 21st, 1880, from His Eminence Cardinal Simeoni, Prefect of the Propaganda. The following Spring he came to Kingston, and was received with great pomp by all the bishops of Ontario, with those of Ottawa and Montreal, the leading dignataries of their several dioceses, and the clergy and laity of Kingston. In 1890, he was made Archbishop, a new ecclesiastical province having been created, of which Kingston is the Metropolitan See, with the bishops of Peterboro and Alexandria for suffragans of the Archbishop of Kingston. The spiritual interests of his people are the main objects of Archbishop Cleary's life. He is ever in motion around the parishes, holding conferences with the clergy and laity about the ways and means of advancing religion and morality. He has founded many new missions, placing resident priests in districts that heretofore received but an occasional visit from a clergyman. He has also built numerous churches, presbyteries, schools, convents and other religious edifices, many of which are models of architectural excellence, unrivalled in any part of the Dominion. The recently constructed facade of his cathedral, is the most elegant work of its kind in Canada, combining elevation, massiveness and solidity of block masonry, with gracefulness and richness of tracery most pleasing to the artistic eye. Archbishop Cleary holds aloof from politics, except in so far as religious interests are involved. In defence of those interests, especially such as relate to Roman Catholic education and separate schools, he speaks and writes with great freedom and argumentative force. He deals, he says, "not with politics, but with irreligious politicians." About the election time for the Provincial Legislature in 1890, he engaged in public controversy with the honorable Leader of the Opposition on this subject. His letters were read with lively interest by all classes of citizens, and referring to them, the late Sir Daniel Wilson, president and professor of English literature in Toronto University, once said to a large assembly, "that, for purity of style, they are the best specimens of controversial literature given to Canadians in latter times." In social life, Archbishop Cleary deals with Conservatives and Reformers as a friend of both, and in matters of purely benevolent or civil character, takes a place frequently among the men of action in Kingston, and has delivered some public addresses that have commanded reverent attention from good men of all creeds.

JAMES MANSON, banker, Strathroy, Ont., was born in Wick, Caithnesshire, Scotland, January 27th, 1836. His parents were John and Isabella (Hay) Manson, natives of Wick. After a five years' apprenticeship with John Kirk, the leading merchant of Wick, he came to Canada in 1855, and after a short time in the service of Kerr, Brown & Co., wholesale merchants of Hamilton, he entered the employ of the late W. H. Armstrong, of Strathroy. In 1857, Mr. Manson formed a partnership with Wm. Rapley, of Strathroy, formerly of Sussex, Eng., under the firm name of Rapley & Manson, the former supplying the capital and the latter the experience, and for ten years they carried on very successfully, a large and growing general mercantile business. In 1867, the firm had so prospered, that Mr. Manson, by mutual consent, withdrew, and established the Banking House, which, under his able and continuous management, has long since become one of the reliable monetary institutions of the Province. In religion, Mr. Manson is a Presbyterian, and in politics a staunch Liberal, intimate with all the prominent Reformers of Ontario, and always ready to do yeoman service for his party. He belongs to the A.F. and A.M., and is an honorary member of the Strathroy St. Andrew's Society. He has often been pressed to accept municipal honors, but his business claims and his own personal inclinations always forbid. He occasionally revisits his native land, from which he sailed nearly forty years ago, a penniless lad whose total assets were courage, honesty and the training of an intelligent and painstaking mother. With these, however, he was not poor, and his present success is the result of the exercise of the principles which caracterized his early life, and which have given to him his strength of character. On March 1st, 1860, Mr. Manson was married to Miss Mary A. Rapley, his partner's daughter, an earnest church worker, whose quiet unostentatious manner and kindness to the poor have won for her universal esteem.

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